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McDONNELL—In ever-loving memory of Lieutenant-Colonel John McDonnell, of Kilsharvan, Drogheda, 5th Battalion Leinsters (the Royal Meath Regiment), who fell at Ypres on September 29th, 1918.

BIRTHS.

BLUETT—September 28, 1931, at 92 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, to Maud Henrietta, wife of the Rev. A. S. Bluett, a daughter.

DOWNEY—September 27, 1931, at High Meadows, Tramore, County Waterford, to Marjorie, wife of Charles Stewart Downey, a son.

SIVA—September 16, 1931, at Miss Overend's, 29 Upper Mount street, to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Siva, 41 Beech Hill, a son.

WADSWORTH—September 24, 1931, at Miss Scott's Home, Wallace avenue, Lisburn, to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wadsworth, a son.

MARRIAGE.

PEIRCE and LAING—September 9, 1931, at Blackrock Presbyterian Church, by the Rev. J. Snowdon, B.A., B.D., Dr. W. H. Peirce, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Peirce, Mahonville, Cork, to Helen Marjorie, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Laing, Blackrock, County Dublin.

DEATHS.

ANDERSON—September 27, 1931, at a Nursing Home, Dublin, Mary Jane Anderson, last surviving daughter of the late Alexander Anderson, Dungannon. Funeral private.

ATKINS—September 28, 1931, at Nursing Home, Blackpool, James Edward Atkins, of Dunmanway. Funeral strictly private.

BECHER—September 27, 1931, in Aldershot Military Hospital, after a brief illness, Captain Edward O' Becher, M.C., Royal Artillery, younger son of Archdeacon Becher, Lorum Rectory.

BENN—September 27, 1931, at his residence, Clonan, Roscrea, John Benn. "Rock of Ages, cleft for me." Funeral, Dunkerrin, 1 o'clock to-day (Tuesday), 29th inst.

BOR—On September 27, 1931, at a Nursing Home, Dublin, very suddenly, Edward Norman Cavendish Bor, of Kilcoran House, Kilkenny, aged 72 years.

FILGATE—September 28, 1931, at Cornelia and East Dorset Hospital, Parkstone, Dorset, Towniey Richard Filgate, retired Colonel First Behir Light Horse, Indian Army, late of Arthurstown House, Ardee, County Louth.

HARRINGTON—September 26, 1931, at Hospice, Harold's Cross, Ellie, eldest daughter of the late Michael Harrington, formerly of Rathgar. Requiem Mass at Hospice 9.30 this (Tuesday) morning. Funeral to Glasnevin immediately after. R.I.P.

KELLY—September 27, 1931, at St. Vincent's Hospital, Joseph Kelly, "Bermuda," Strand street, Skerries. Deeply regretted by sorrowing wife and daughter. R.I.P. Funeral to-day at 3 o'clock from Catholic Church to Holmpatrick Cemetery. American papers please copy.

LAIRD—September 27, 1931, at the residence of her son-in-law, Belfast Bank House, Glenarm, Mary Elizabeth Laird, in her 81st year, widow of John Laird, M.D., formerly of Sligo. Funeral private. No flowers.

LYNN—September 28, 1931, rather suddenly, after a long illness, Annie Elizabeth, eldest daughter of the late Canon Lynn, Cong, County Mayo. Dearly beloved.

MARTIN—September 27, 1931, at a Private Nursing Home, Dublin, Edith Irene Martin, beloved wife of Dudley Martin, Ardnacassa, Longford. Deeply regretted. Funeral to St John's Church, Longford to-morrow (Tuesday), the 29th inst., arriving at 3 o'clock (summer time), by road.

MITCHELL—September 27, 1931, at his residence, Newtown, Fortal, Birr, Daniel Mitchell, aged 71. Funeral to-day (Tuesday), 2 o'clock (summer time) to Kinnitty.

O'CALLAGHAN—September 25 1931, at 4 Onslow road, Fairfield, Liverpool, in her 89th year, Jane Farrell O'Callaghan, widow of Matthew O'Callaghan. Interment at Anfield Cemetery on Wednesday next at 12 noon.

O'FARRELL—September 26, 1931, at 20 Kimmage road, Rosanna, dearly-beloved wife of the late J. X. O'Farrell. Deeply regretted by her daughter, son, and relatives. R.I.P. Interment this morning, 9.30, to Glasnevin from Mount Argus.

RUTTLEDGE—September 25, 1931, at 10 Grimston Gardens, Folkestone, Kent, Captain John Ruttledge (late The King's Own Regiment), fourth surviving son of the late Thomas Ruttledge, D.L., Cornfield, Hollymount, Co. Mayo, aged 66 years.

WILKINSON—September 27, 1931, at 67 Harcourt street, Alfred James Wilkinson. Funeral arriving at Mount Jerome at 10.30 to-morrow (Wednesday) morning.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this column will be found on Page 6.

IN MEMORIAM.

BRENNAN—Fifth Anniversary—In sad and loving memory of our dear father, Patrick Brennan, who died on September 29, 1926. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on his soul. Masses offered up this day.

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EXPERIENCED young General, good cook, small family desired, South suburbs; free 1st October. Apply, strictly by letter only, "General," 17 Temple Villas, Palmerston road. 24 C

EXPERIENCED General, small family; city preferred; good references.—K 1348, this office.

EXPERIENCED General, city or Kingstown; highly recommended.—K 1349, this office.

EXPERIENCED General, good references, city or suburbs.—K 1359, this office.

EXPERIENCED General, small family; good reference; city, suburbs.—K 1350, this office.

EXPERIENCED General, suburbs; good references.—K 1358, this office.

EXPERIENCED General Maid, very well recommended; small family; disengaged 12th October. Address "Z 4904, General," this office. 28 C

GENERAL, small family; over 2½ years' excellent reference. Address "Z 4906, General," this office.

GENERAL or Housekeeper, city, country; small adult family.—K 1361, this office.

GENERAL, good plain cook, would take job or permanent; good reference.—K 1409, this office.

LADY highly recommends experienced young Protestant General or Housemaid; go anywhere. Address "Z 4902, General," this office.

RESPECTABLE Girl wishes situation as General in modern house; good plain cook; good reference.—K 1435, this office.

SMART, experienced, young, outdoor General disengaged; 10/- weekly.—RO 219, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

YOUNG Girl, train as General; city preferred.—K 1353, this office.

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS DISENGAGED.

COUNTRY Girl, House Parlourmaid, quiet gentleman's family; good experience, excellent reference, South Dublin suburbs preferred.—Minnie Byrne, Killena, Gorey. 28 E

DISENGAGED, experienced House Parlourmaid, Dublin suburbs; highly recommended.—Registrar, Girls' Friendly Society, 20 Upper Merrion street.

EXPERIENCED H. P'maid disengaged; excellent references.—Blackwood's Registry, Lr. Mount street.

HOUSE Parlourmaid or Waitress, experienced; city.—K 1360, this office.

HOUSE Parlourmaid, young Girl, train; some experience.—K 1367, this office.

HOUSE Parlourmaid disengaged (Protestant), good appearance (not country).—Griffin's Registry, 40 Donnybrook.

MRS. Brewin, Eyrefield, Killiney, wishes to recommend young House Parlourmaid, disengaged Oct. 7th. 27 D

YOUNG country Girl, R.C., 18, seeks situation as Second Housemaid, fond of children; highest references. Address "Z 4889, Housemaid," this office. 27 D

NURSES DISENGAGED.

EXPERIENCED Nursemaid, good references; city or suburbs.—K 1346, this office.

EXPERIENCED Children's Nurse, R.C., disengaged; good needlewoman; highly recommended.—894, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 28 C

EXPERIENCED Nurse disengaged, baby from month; good references.—3 Pleasants street, South Circular road.

EXPERIENCED Infant's Nurse, highly recommended (R.C.), take infant from month, or twins; suburbs.—Winnett's, Dalkey.

SUPERIOR young country Girl wishes post as Children's Nurse; well recommended.—Nurse, Wilde's Office, Bray. 28 C

THOROUGHLY experienced Nurse, take baby from month; excellent references, well recommended.—K 1389, this office.

KITCHEN, LAUNDRY, ETC., DISENGAGED.

EXPERIENCED Kitchenmaid, would go to England; recommended.—K 1345, this office.

SPECIFIC ARTICLES.

BADMINTON—Everything of the best at Hely's; get copy Winter Sports Catalogue. 8 25

CART Covers, Rick Covers, Motor Lorry Covers, Tarpaulin Tents, Marquees and Sacks. Petrie Brothers, Waterproofers, 36 Usher's quay. Price list on application. T

DICKENS'S Works, 30 vols., new, published by Caxton, cost £9, will accept £5 from immediate purchaser; owner going abroad.—K 1173, this office. 24 B

FOOTBALL—Balls, Boots, Jerseys, Knickers, Stockings (Soccer and Rugger); Winter Sports Catalogue free.—Hely's, Dame street, Dublin. 8 25

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FARMER will deliver to your door Prime Mountain Mutton or Lamb; hind quarters 1/-, fore 10d. per lb.—K 1156, this office. 24 B

FOR Sale, Mangle, £5; Oil Stove, 3-lamp, £3; Turkey Carpet, 4yds. square, £22; Figures, suitable electric lamp holders, £5; Axminster Carpets, 4 yds. square, £6. Apply Caretaker, 18 Harcourt street. 25 C

FOXFORD Rugs, 100 p.c. pure wool, made in Ireland, in 30 plain colours, also club colours, including Lansdowne, Trinity, Old Wesley, Wanderers, National University, Palmerston, Clontarf, Monkstown, Blackrock, Bective, etc., etc., price one guinea; can be used as travelling rugs, also make good bedspreads for boys' beds.—W. Holmes and Co., George's street. Foxford Blankets, Knee Rugs, Pram Rugs.

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IRISH Mountain Mutton for Sale; half Sheep, 10d. per lb.; Quarters, 10½d. per lb. delivered free. Address "Z 4802, Mutton," this office. 24 B

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DUBLIN INQUESTS.

The Dublin City Coroner recorded a finding of heart failure at an inquest on Stephen Carroll (48), who was found dead at 14 York street, Dublin, on Sunday.

A verdict of accidental death was returned at the inquest on Private John Kennedy (24), of the Army Signal Corps, stationed at McKee Barracks, Dublin, who died on Saturday following injuries received through the accidental discharge of a revolver. The evidence showed that Kennedy removed his revolver from its holster, and immediately there was a report of a shot. Private John Carthy said that he believed it was an accident. Kennedy was a native of Strabane.

Pending criminal proceedings, the inquest on James McCall (65), of 7 Westmorland Park, a Corporation night watchman, who died following injuries in a motor collision at Rathmines, was adjourned.

DUBLIN S.P.C.A. MEETING.

At the weekly meeting of the Dublin Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, held at 29 South Frederick street, Mr. F. O. Lyons presided.

Nineteen cases were reported by the Inspectors during the week, and three convictions.

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A JOWETT Saloon, 8 h.p., 1929, good condition.—Rear 65 Lower Leeson street. 25 C

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DELAGE Saloon, 1927, perfect order, under 17,000 miles, first cost £590; garage room wanted; any trial; first reasonable offer. Seen Royal Hibernian Hotel garage.

ESSEX, 1931, standard Saloon, mileage 8,000; perfect condition; £180 or near offer; owner going abroad. Address "4824, Motor," this office. 24 B

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FOR Sale, 1931 Morris Oxford Saloon, perfect mechanical condition; any trial; price £275. Address "Z 4874 Morris," this office. 25 D

FOR Private Sale—Gentleman offers bargain duty paid Sunbeam 20 h.p. special 3 litre Le Mans type 4 seater sports car, with all weather equipment, including rear safety windscreen, high efficiency silent six cylinder twin overhead camshaft engine (hand polished), twin carburetters, "dry sump" lubrication, close ratio four speed gear box, with silent third; four new tyres, with two complete spares. The car is in marvellous condition, and is undoubtedly one of the most attractive cars on the road; licence, etc., paid, cost £1,250; unforeseen circumstances necessitate immediate sale for the low price of £260 or nearest offer. Address "Z 4912, Motor," this office. 28 E

FOR Sale, one advanced 6 cylinder Nash Car, 26 horse power, tax reduced; inspection invited; no offer refused; mileage 18,000 miles; cost £500.—K 1433, this office. 28 C

MORRIS Isis "Six" Saloon, 1931 model, absolutely brand new, complete as per 1931 specification, and carries maker's guarantee; price greatly reduced to clear. Our Budget Plan Terms extended.—G. A. Brittain, Ltd., Portobello, Dublin. 25 C

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NEW Service Station Completed—The most varied stock of New and Used Cars, Saloons, Tourers, etc., in Ireland. If you can't come and see them write for lists. We are open until 7 p.m.; petrol station until 11 p.m. Appointments can be made for any time.—Huet Motors, Ltd., Clanwilliam House, Lower Mount street, Dublin. 'Phone, 61518-9. T

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SECONDHAND Cars and Commercial Vehicles, large selection and keen prices; cash or easy terms. Interview us first.—Doyle's Motors, Ltd., 16 Bachelor's Walk. T

SUNBEAM Saloon, Weyman Body, 6 cylinder, 16.9 h.p.; excellent condition.—Dockrell Limited, Auctioneers, South Great George's street. 28 C

TO-DAY'S Bargain—1927 Austin, 7 h.p., chummy body, to seat four, taxed to 1932, in excellent condition, both mechanically and in coachwork, good tyres, used only in Dublin area, first offer of £50 secures; any trial.—McEntagart Bros., Ltd., 22-23 Duke street, Dublin. 25 C

TROJAN, latest Saloon Model, used for demonstration purposes only, in first class condition, will Sell at £175. Apply Ashenhurst, Williams and Co., Ltd., 12-15 Talbot place, Store street, Dublin. 26 C

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13.9 H.P. Vauxhall Saloon 1927, splendid condition; taxed December; cost £810; must sell, £100 or nearest. Address "Z 4790, Car," this office. 23 B

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WANTED, a good Motor Cycle, 3½ h.p., late model; state price and details.—K 1244, this office. 25 C

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OVERLAND and Trojan Parts for Sale, cheap.—The City Vulcanising Works, 13a Amiens street, Dublin. 'Phone, 43254. 23 B

SPEEDOMETERS, Magnetos, Dynamos, Repair Specialists and Stockists.—Traders' Magnetos and Dynamo Co., Ltd., 35 South William street, Dublin. T

TYRE Repairs at a flat rate of 8/- per motor cover and 1/6 per tube; carriage and valves extra; limited period only. Offer introduces new electric vulcanising equipment. Repairs unconditionally guaranteed. New and reconditioned tyres sold. Rubber Boots Repaired.—The City Vulcanising Works, 13a Amiens street, Dublin. 'Phone, 43254. 8 28

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B.S.A. Cycles, for business or pleasure, are the best value, £5 19/6, or 11/8 monthly or 2/6 weekly. Kelly's, Bachelor's Walk, Dublin. T

CHAUFFEURS, MECHANICS.

WANTED.

A GENTLEMAN residing in England wants CHAUFFEUR; Wife Cook, caretake his Irish mansion; £100 yearly, all found.—K 1392, this office.

WANTED, competent MOTOR MECHANIC, thoroughly experienced in repair and upkeep of motor vehicles; reply, enclosing copies testimonials, and stating wages required to "Z 4794, Mechanic," this office. 24 D

DISENGAGED.

CHAUFFEUR (Protestant), 17 years' garage and private experience, all types; do repairs, electric light, oil engines; strict T.T.; highest references. Address "Z 4893, Chauffeur," this office. 27 D

CHAUFFEURS CONTINUED

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CHAUFFEUR—Well connected Boy, with Colonial experience, wishes position; total abstainer, Protestant. Address "Z 4898, Chauffeur," this office.

CHAUFFEUR Groom (single), experienced hunters, electric light, useful, indoor or out; highest reference.—K 1338, this office. 28 E

CHAUFFEUR seeks employment, motor car or lorry; would make himself otherwise useful; well recommended.—K 1335, this office.

DISENGAGED, Chauffeur, British ex-Service man, M.T.; private or commercial; generally useful; good references.—K 1187, this office. 25 C

MOTOR Mechanic, 25 years' experience, desires Foremanship or position of trust; sober, honest, industrious; highest references.—K 1375, this office. 28 E

AIR SPEED RECORD ATTEMPT.

DELAY OWING TO FUEL DIFFICULTIES.

Minor difficulties with the fuel problem yesterday prevented Flight Lieutenant George Stainforth from making his fresh attempt on the world air speed record.

All had gone well until the very last moment. The special "sprint" engine which has been rushed from the Rolls-Royce works has been installed in the S. 6 B. seaplane, and final engine tests took place in the early hours of yesterday morning.

It seemed as though everything was satisfactory, and from seven o'clock in the morning Flight Lieutenant Stainforth was standing by, waiting for suitable weather conditions. There were mist and a choppy sea early in the morning, but in the afternoon Squadron Leader Orlebar decided that conditions were favourable.

NO RISKS TAKEN.

The engine was started up, and it was found that the additional power of the engine and the special fuel mixture which is to be used required certain adjustment. It was essential that no unnecessary risks should be run, as this is the only engine of its type on which the record attempt can be made.

There was a hurried conference of experts, and it was decided to postpone the attempt until this problem is settled satisfactorily.

There is every hope that a solution will speedily be found, and that Flight Lieutenant Stainforth will go out to achieve what it is hoped will be a speed record over the three kilometre course at Calshot of 400 miles an hour.

SHIPPING NEWS.

(FROM LLOYD'S.)

FOREIGN MOVEMENTS.

Carrigan Head, Dublin for Danzig, passed Elsinore September 27th.

Laurentic, for Clyde and Belfast, left Quebec September 26th.

Buesten, Dublin for Canstanza, passed Zea September 26th.

Jupiter, for Belfast, left Archangel September 24th.

Dunaff Head, from Clyde, arrived Montreal September 25th.

Seminole, from Belfast, arrived Los Angeles September 25th.

Shuna, for Dublin, left Gothenburg September 26th.

HOME MOVEMENTS.

Kenbane Head, from Barry, arrived Clyde September 24th.

Lady Emerald, from Dublin, arrived Plymouth September 25th, and left for London September 26th; since passed Dover September 27th.

Princetown, for Dublin, left Newport September 26th.

Sphene, from Dublin, arrived Swansea September 25th.

Norseman, from Wicklow, arrived Swansea September 26th.

City of Cork, of Dublin, passed Lizard September 27th bound west.

Kerry Head, London for Limerick, passed Lizard September 26th.

Pollux, Gothenburg for Clarecastle, passed Lizard September 26th.

Lady Wimborne, of Dublin, passed Lizard September 27th bound west.

Eddystone, London for Belfast, passed Lizard September 27th.

Hoxie, from Dublin, arrived Avonmouth September 26th.

The Marquis, for Limerick, left Blyth September 26th.

Gyalia, for Queenstown, left Liverpool September 26th.

Avanville, for Cork, left Liverpool September 26th.

Bellhaven, for Boston via Cork, left Liverpool September 27th.

Finkenau, from Dublin, passed Lizard September 27th bound east.

Ringwall, from Cork, arrived Cardiff September 26th.

Sabington, for Rosslare, left Cardiff September 26th.

Lady Patricia, of Dublin, passed Prawle Point September 27th bound east.

Dunmore Head, Hamburg for Dublin, passed Lizard September 28th.

Galacum, from Waterford, passed St. Catherine's Point September 27th.

Grenland, Dublin for Antwerp, passed St. Catherine's Point September 27th.

Brideen, of Belfast, passed Dungeness September 28th.

Culmore, London for Alderney, passed Dover September 27th.

Findhorn, from Belfast, arrived Cardiff September 27th.

Eland, from Galway, arrived Llanelly September 26th.

Afon Gwili, for Moville, left Llanelly September 25th.

Northdale, from Limerick, arrived Liverpool September 27th.

Pine, for Drogheda, left Liverpool September 27th.

Mungret, London for Bantry, called Dartmouth September 26th.

Foynes, for Limerick, left Dartmouth September 26th.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Barometer (at 5 p.m.)—30. Wind and Weather—W.S.W. wind; light breeze; dull and overcast.

Coastwise Arrivals:—Snowdon and Slieve Donard from Holyhead and Lady Wimborne from London, with goods; Girasol from Glasgow, Hematite from Newport, Cornelian from Ayr, and Yewarch from Newcastle-on-Tyne, with coals.

IRISH LABOUR LOOKING AHEAD.

CANDIDATES FOR THE GENERAL ELECTION.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

ENNISCORTHY, Sunday.

Senator Michael Duffy presided at a Labour Party convention for the County Wexford, held in Enniscorthy to-day, to select candidates for the county for the next general election. About fifty delegates attended.

The following candidates were selected:—

Alderman R. Corish, T.D., Mayor of Wexford.

Mr. James Shannon, County Councillor, Rathnure, ex-T.D. for Wexford.

Mr. John Noctor, a native of Wexford, now living in Dublin, a member of the National Union of Railwaymen.

Speaking at a Labour demonstration in Enniscorthy afterwards, Senator Duffy said that there will be an election in this country in the near future. The people here were told over and over again that Denmark was the best cultivated and best organised community in Europe, but there was never a word said about the fact that the workers and small farmers in Denmark had ruled that country for the last thirty years, and that the Government of Denmark was directly representative of the people who create the wealth. Until the workers and small farmers in this country realised that their interests are identical, and sent men into the Dail to represent them, they would have a continuance of the present situation, with its deficiency of food, clothing and houses for the people.

There would be no danger whatever to the stability of the county under a Labour Government.

A CLARE CANDIDATE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

ENNIS, Sunday.

Mr. Michael Keyes, Limerick, Vice-President of the Irish Labour Party, presided at a conference of delegates representing the Clare Labour Clubs and Trade Unions, held at Ennis to-day for the purpose of selecting a Labour candidate for Clare at the next general election.

The proceedings were private, but subsequently it was officially announced that Mr. Patrick Hogan, the present Labour representative of the county, had been unanimously selected.

LIMERICK SELECTIONS.

At a Limerick constituency conference of the Irish Labour Party on Saturday, Mr. William Naughton presiding, the following two candidates were selected to contest the Limerick constituency at the next general election:—

Mr. Michael J. Keyes, Borough Councillor, Railwaymen's Union.

Mr. Daniel Clancy, Borough Councillor, Irish Transport and General Workers' Union.

A third candidate is to be selected at a future conference. The sitting Labour member is Mr. Patrick Clancy.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Tuesday, September 29.

TAXING MASTERS' OFFICE.

Master Denning, 11 o'clock—Exparte Taxations: Corbett v. McParland, Payne and Hoey; Kerin v. Hickman, Hoey and Denning.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.

(Examiners' Chambers, 93 Merrion Square.)

Before Mr. Leet, at 11 o'clock—Florence Jane Hibbert (S2033 and 2663), directions. At 3 o'clock—Henry B. Sampey (S6596), discharge rulings.

RECENT IRISH WILLS.

Mr. Hubert James Hanbury, late of Somerstown, Co. Meath, who died January 29th, 1931, left £16,635

Probate has been granted to his son, Hubert T. Hanbury, Rockbrae, Bray, Co. Wicklow.

Mr. Hubert Satchwell, late of Mariaville, Maynooth, Co. Kildare, who died July 30th, 1931, left £4,493

Probate has been granted to Thomas, Hubert and George Satchwell, sons of the testator, the executors.

Mr. Patrick J. Vaughan, late of Capel street, Dublin, vintner, who died August 8th, 1931, left £4,277

Probate has been granted to his widow, his brother, Mr. John Vaughan, and Mr. William Kenny, the executors.

Mr. Thomas Carroll, Williamstown, Dunleer, Co. Louth, who died August 18th, 1931, left £3,142

Probate has been granted to Mr. William Maguire, Dillonstown, and Mr. Michael Ward, Greenmount, Castlebellingham, the executors.

Miss Margaret Brown, late of St. Lawrence road, Clontarf, who died July 28th, 1931, left £3,366

Probate has been granted to Miss Sarah Gillmer, Rathdown Park, Terenure, niece of the deceased.

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FOOD AND PRODUCE MARKETS.

Birkenhead—Slow steady trade for Cattle and better demand for Lambs. Manchester—Pigs in fair demand. Merklands Wharf—Improved demand all classes. Hull—Weak. Wakefield—Large supplies and steady trade. London slow. Rubber lower. Sharp fall in Tin. Copper weak. Wheat easier.

CATTLE.

LONDON (METROPOLITAN)—Entries of fat beasts were rather lighter than the corresponding market day last week. Demand proved slow and prices occasionally 2d. per stone easier. Herefords 5/2 to 5/6, shorthorns 4/8 to 5/-. Sheep supplies were larger, but trade without improvement and prices the turn in buyers' favour. Wethers 6/4 to 7/4, ewes 3/10 to 4/2, lambs were 4d. per stone down at 7/6 to 8/-, as to quality, all per stone of 8lb. to sing the offal. Total supplies—146 beasts, 1,005 sheep and lambs.

BIRKENHEAD—On offer—528 Irish cattle and 1,017 lambs. A slow, steady trade prevailed for the cattle on offer, Friday's quotations governing most transactions. Choice small heifers made 8d., handy-weight bullocks 7½d., secondary and strong classes 6½d. to 7d.; cows and bulls 4d. to 5d. Lambs were in smaller supply, and met a steady trade at prices ranging up to 9d. for the best quanties—all prices per lb. sinking the offal. There were a few Canadian cattle on offer, and further supplies are due this week.

HULL—Best, 6/-; second, 5/- to 5/3; cows, 4/-, sheep (hoggs) 10d., ewes 7d.; lambs 1/-; pigs, best small porkers, 8/-, bacon pigs 5/-.

WAKEFIELD—Large supplies, with steady trade. Small hogg sheep 1/0½ per lb., medium 11d., large 10d., ewes 5d. to 7½d., tups 5d., lambs 1/- to 1/1. Best English 8½d. to 9d. per lb., secondary 7d.; fat cows and bulls 5d. to 6½d., Irish cattle 8d. Beasts 262, sheep 589.

MERKLANDS WHARF—Only 353 bullocks and 96 bulls and cows offered. Improved demand in all classes. Top bullocks from 38/- to 42/-, secondary 33/-, bulls ranged from 28/- to 33/-. Arrivals yesterday from Dublin 240, Belfast 80, Limerick 100, Sligo 88, Londonderry 69, Waterford 60, Cork 53; sheep 109, pigs 156; cattle in lairage 66.

MANCHESTER PIG—Irish shipments to this country for the week ended September 12th totalled 10,092, against 10,513 during the previous week, and 7,272 for the corresponding period of last year. Spot supplies, including Irish, on fair scale. Fair, though by no means brisk, demand. Cutters 10/6, sizeable baconers 9/6; sows 8/- per score, estimated dressed carcase weight.

BIRMINGHAM PIG—Moderate to fairly large supply, and trade steady to fairly good, with bacons firmer. Quotations:—Sizeable bacons 9/6, cutters 10/- to 10/6, and sows 7/6 per score dead-weight. Merchants have secured modification of Walsall area movement restriction order, whereby consignments can now be redistributed outside Birmingham for immediate slaughter.

DONNELLY, DUBLIN.

Pigs under 5 stone	...60/-	per cwt.	dead-weight.
„ „ 6 „	...56/-	„	„
„ „ 7 „	...52/-	„	„
„ „ 8 „	...50/-	„	„
„ „ 13 „	...47/-	„	„
„ „ 14 „	...43/-	„	„
„ „ 15 „	...41/-	„	„
Heavy Pigs and Sows	...34/-	„	„
Choice Lambs	8d.	per lb.,	dressed weight.
Good	7d.	„	„
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—(Advt.)

GRAIN.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES (BALTIC).—WHEAT—Cargo market quiet and prices nominally unaltered. South Australian afloat sellers 24/6, New South Wales afloat 24/9. Parcels offered at 6d. to 1/- per quarter decline, in sympathy with weak North American cables, but buyers indifferent. No. 1 Northern Manitoba October sellers 27/10½, No. 2 do. 26/1½, No. 3 24/6, No. 4 Manitoba October 23/4½, No. 2 Northern Manitoba Vancouver shipment October 28/-, West Australian afloat 26/-, South do. 24/9, Russian winter on sample September 21/- to 24/-, choice white Karachi September-October 24/9 per quarter of 480lb. Futures opened firmer at 3d. per quarter advance, but tone since quieter and quotations mostly unaltered from previous close. Quotations at 1.15 p.m. per quarter of 480lb. Manitoba grade November 24/4, January 24/9 per quarter, March 25/-, May 25/4. London grade September 20/10, December 21/10, February 23/1. MAIZE cargoes quietly steady. Plate afloat, also September and October sellers 15/-, November 15/3, December 15/6, January 15/9. Parcels dull on about former terms. Plate afloat, also September-October sellers 14/1½, October-November 14/3, November-December 14/9, December-January 14/9, January-February 15/- per quarter of 480lb. BARLEY steady. Parcels Persian October-November sellers 15/9, Russian afloat 16/-, September, also October 16/6 per quarter of 400lb., Californian superior October 36/- per quarter of 448lb. OATS inactive and the turn easier. Plate October sellers 14/9 per quarter of 320lb.

MARK LANE CORN.—There was a large attendance of buyers at the week's opening market, and a good business resulted at occasionally easier prices. WHEAT—Rather more offering, and prices occasionally the turn easier. No. 1 Northern Manitoba ex ship, 29/- to 30/-; No. 2 ditto, 28/3; No. 3 ditto, 27/-; No. 4 Manitoba, 24/6; Australian, 26/-; Russian on sample, 23/- to 27/- per 496lb.; English, 24/- to 26/- per quarter of 504lb. FLOUR firm. London straight run, 21/- per sack for country deliveries and 20/- London area; country straights new, 21/- to 23/- ex store. Of imported, Manitoba patents 25/- to 27/-; Buffalo ditto, 25/- to 27/-; Australian, 18/6 ex store on c.i.f. terms. Manitoba top patents October, 24/9; export ditto, 22/9; Australian, 17/-; French, 15/9 per 280lb. MAIZE fairly steady. Plate landed, 17/6; ex ship, 16/-; September-October, 15/9; October-November, 15/10½; November-December, 16/- per 480lb.; yellow maize meal, £5 10/- f.o.r. London; yellow African ex ship to arrive, £4 12/6 per ton. BARLEY easier. Russian ex ship to arrive, 17/3; Persian ditto, 17/- per 400lb.; English malting, 30/- to 52/-; feed, 20/- to 22/- per quarter 448lb. OATS remain firm. Plate landed 17/6; ex ship to arrive, 16/6 to 16/-; Chilian tawny landed, 18/6; white, 24/- to 25/-; North Russian, 18/- per 320lb.; English, 17/- to 20/- per quarter of 336lb. MILLERS' WHEATFEED firm. Broad digestive bran, 5/9; middlings, 6/-; oatfeed, 6/-; ground oats, 8/3 ex mill per cwt. London arrivals for the past week—English and Scottish: wheat, 2,240; oats, 115; malt, 2,310 quarters; foreign wheat, 265,319; barley, 34,605; oats, 29,570; maize, 25,526; beans, 7,900; peas, 2,055 quarters; flour, 30,663 sacks.

LIVERPOOL—This market has been almost entirely under the influence of the movements in sterling exchange rates. Forward deliveries of wheat improved considerably during early trading, then gave way, and fluctuated fairly according to the offerings, finishing at about the worst point, and generally marking a moderate decline from last week-end. C.i.f. parcels wheat neglected, with No. 3 Manitoba October quoted 24/3, and Rosario Santa Fe 63lb. October 22/- per quarter; c.i.f. parcels maize River Plate afloat sold at 15/-, December 14/9, January 15/- per quarter. WHEAT on the spot steadily held. MAIZE—Spot parcels firm at 3/6 to 3/6½ per cental for River Plate. FLOUR firm at late prices. Graded wheat futures opened ½d. to ¾d. per cental dearer, and 1½d. to 1¾d. advance was afterwards realised; then prices gave way and fluctuated fairly, the market eventually closing quiet and unchanged to ½d. below Saturday. Values—October 4/4¾, December 4/7¼, March 4/11¾, May 5/1½ per cental. Sales 150 loads.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL.—BACON—Continental meets a fair demand, especially Danish, at full official quotations to an occasional premium, while Irish attracts moderate attention at extreme prices, and American generally held for some advance. Long clear now 68/- to 71/-, Cumberland 72/- to 75/-, bellies 55/- to 57/-, and backs 52/- to 69/- per cwt. HAMS firm and dearer at 94/- to 96/- per cwt. for long cut, 86/- to 89/- short, and 92/- to 95/- for extra skinless. Shoulders also dearer at 51/- to 53/- for squares. LARD on the spot 1/- lower for prime steam at 49/- to 50/- per cwt., American refined being unchanged, with a moderate inquiry. CHEESE firm and in moderate request at late rates. BUTTER generally dearer; Danish raised to 138/- to 141/-, Irish creameries 120/- to 123/-, New Zealand 122/- to 124/-, Australian 117/- to 120/-, Canadian 114/- to 116/-, and Swedish 127/- to 130/- per cwt. EGGS firm at 14/- to 14/6 per 120 for extra selected Irish hen, 14/- selected, and 12/- mediums, duck remaining nominal.

LONDON.—BUTTER market generally quiet. Quotations:—New Zealand finest salted 120/- to 124/-, finest unsalted 118/- to 122/-, Australian finest salted 114/- to 118/-, unsalted ranges from 106/- to 116/-, Argentina finest unsalted 112/- to 116/-, Danish 136/-, Dutch creamery unsalted 130/-, Esthonian 110/- to 112/-, Latvian 108/- to 112/-, Lithuanian 108/- to 110/-, Polish 88/- to 100/-, Siberian 95/- to 98/-, Ukranian 98/- per cwt., Dutch rolls 15/- to 15/6 per doz. lb., South African salted 98/- to 100/- per cwt. CHEESE—Market steady, with a fair demand. Quotations:—English finest farmers' 75/- to 80/-, good to fine 56/- to 70/-, loaf 75/- to 85/-, factory 52/- to 56/- per cwt.; Cheshire 9½d. to 9¾d.; Stilton 1/5 to 1/6 per lb.; Canadian coloured 68/- to 70/-, white 69/- to 70/-; New Zealand coloured 68/- to 71/-, white 68/- to 70/-; South African coloured 64/-; Dutch Edam factory ranges from 44/- to 62/-, Gouda ditto 40/- to 65/- per cwt. BACON in good demand and market firm. Quotations:—Irish 66/- to 80/-, Danish 59/- to 62/-, Dutch 54/- to 58/-, Polish 48/- to 53/-, Swedish 57/- to 58/-, Esthonian 55/- to 56/-, Latvian 53/- to 55/-, Lithuanian 50/- to 55/-, Canadian 56/- to 60/- per cwt. HAMS—American in short supply and prices firm. English, as to weight, 110/- to 160/-, American long cut 96/-, short cut 82/- to 88/-, South American picnics 48/- to 50/- per cwt. LARD irregular. American boxes 48/6 to 53/6, Irish bladders 58/- to 66/-, Danish 50/- to 52/-, Dutch refined boxes 50/- to 56/- per cwt. EGGS—Market quiet and prices nominal. Quotations:—English national marked specials 20/6, standards 19/-, medium 15/6, pullets 12/-, ordinary packing 16/6 to 18/-, Northern Irish 18lb. 21/-, 17lb. 19/6 to 20/-, 15½lb. 18/- to 18/6, 14lb. 15/- to 15/6, Dutch all brown 18lb. 17/6 to 18/-, 17lb. 16/9, 16lb. 15/6 to 16/-, 14lb. 12/6 to 14/3, mixed 11/6 to 16/-, Polish 7/- to 9/6, reds 6/9 to 7/-, Danish 12/6 to 15/-, Belgian 13/9 to 16/-, Lithuanian 8/- to 10/6, Swedish 12/- to 14/9, all per 120.

LONDON CENTRAL MEAT.—Supplies to market, 2,449 tons, 755 tons British and Irish produce, and 1,694 tons imported. Steady demand for beef, with prices for chilled firm. BEEF—National mark prices:—English longsides select 5/- to 5/4, do. prime 4/8 to 5/-, do. good 4/4 to 4/8. Irish longsides Birkenhead killed prime 4/4 to 4/10; general prices, including national mark, English longsides 4/4 to 5/4, do. hindquarters, forerib and flank 4/10 to 5/4; Irish longsides Birkenhead killed 4/4 to 4/10, do. hindquarters forerib and flank 4/8 to 5/-. Moderate trade for pork, with heavy pigs slightly dearer. PORK—English under 10st. 5/4 to 6/-, do. 10st. to 15st. 4/4 to 5/4, do. 15st. to 20st. 3/10 to 4/4; Irish 4/- to 5/4.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE—Trade slow for the usual small Monday market. Dragging finish at—York cabbage, 10/- to 12/- per large load, small 4/- to 10/-; swedes, 1/4 per cwt.; cauliflowers, 2/- to 3/- per dozen, and seconds 1/-.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Quiet demand here for the fair supplies on offer. Values unchanged at 7/6 to 8/- per cwt.

CORK BUTTER—Market quiet and steady. Creameries 125/- per cwt.

DUBLIN FISH.—Sales were poorly supported for the light supply to hand, which was made up of the following:—12 chests lobsters and a fair amount from country and local senders. Sales:—Lobsters, 10/- to 15/- per 13 large, medium 5/- to 7/6, small 2/6 to 3/-; soles, 15/- to 20/- per 9 pairs large, medium 10/- to 12/6; slips, 2/- to 5/-; turbot, 6d. to 3/- each; brill, 6d. to 2/- each; plaice, 5/- to 10/- per half-box, and ray 5/- to 7/-.

BILLINGSGATE FISH.—Soles, 12d. to 20d.; slips, 12d. to 18d.; lobsters, 9d. to 18d. per lb.; live eels, 18/- to 20/-; dead, 12/- to 15/- per draught; turbot, 7/- to 9/-; brill, 8/- to 10/-; lemon plaice, 5/- to 10/-; halibut, 10/- to 14/-; lemon soles, 6/- to 11/-; hake, 8/- to 10/-; mackerel, 1/- to 2/-; skate wings, 3/- to 5/-; haddocks, 3/- to 6/- per stone.

PRODUCE.

LONDON.—SUGAR—There was no change to note in prices of British refined or home grown granulated. Terminal market rather unsettled, with transactions on a fair scale. December sold 6/7 to 6/7½ and 6/6¼, March 6/10¾ to 6/10 and 6/10½ to 6/9¼, May 7/0¼ to 7/0½ and 6/11½, August 7/2¼ to 7/2½ and 7/1¾. COFFEE—A very firm market on the spot, with steady absorption of most descriptions. COCOA—There is a steady spot trade at full prices. Forward quiet. Accra G/F December-February sold 26/9 to 27/6 c.i.f. TEA—Indian auctions amounted to 38,133 packages, with brisk competition. A very firm market prevailed. Common kinds ¼d. to ½d. dearer and medium ½d. to 1d. Pekoe sold 5½d. to 1/10½, broken ditto 5¾d. to 2/5, orange Pekoe 7d. to 2/10, broken orange 6¾d. to 3/2, fannings 5½d. to 2/1. JUTE—The market opened dearer, with sellers reserved, but assumed a weaker tone later, and cables from Calcutta disclosed considerable irregularity. Firsts October-November to Continental ports sold £19 12/6, November-December £20 to £19 15/-, lightnings September-October sellers £18 15/-, hearts £18, Daisee £18 15/- and Tossa £19 10/- c.i.f. SHELLAC—Market quieter. T.N. spot 80/-, October sellers 73/-, December sold 75/-, closing sellers 74/6; March sold 78/-, closing sellers 77/-; September-October also October-November sellers 71/- c.i.f. RUBBER—A quiet and generally weaker market. Sheet spot and October sold 2 15/16d. to 2 7/8d., January-March 3 1/16d., April-June 3 5/16d. to 3¼d., and July-September 3 3/8d. London stocks reduced 993 tons and Liverpool by 243.

OILS—Linseed firm. Spot sellers 21/6, October-December 17/- to 16/9, after 16/9 paid; January-April 18/-, after 17/9 paid; May-August sold 18/6. Rape nominal. Crude spot 30/6, refined 32/6. Cotton quiet. Crude Egyptian spot 23/-, common edible 28/-, deodorised 30/-. Turpentine dull. American spot 53/6. Cocoanut firm. Ceylon spot cylinders 25/6, drums September-October 22/6 per cwt. OILSEEDS—Linseed market quiet, and prices easier. Calcutta to London September-October £10 15/-, Bombay to London September-October £12 5/-, Plate to Hull November-December sold £8 17/6, new January-February £8 17/6. Rapeseed inactive. Toria to Hull/Continent September-October also October-November and November-December-January £11 15/-. Cottonseed quiet, and tendency easier. Egyptian black to Hull September also October £6 18/9, new October £7 2/6, November-January £7 1/3, white September £6 13/9 November-January new £6 16/3. Groundnuts quiet and easier. Coromandel machined September also October £14 10/-, November £13 10/-, new December £12 15/-, January £12 12/6. Soya Beans idle. Manchurian August £6 10/-, September £6 12/6, October £6 15/- per ton.

LIVERPOOL.—CANE SUGAR quiet, with sellers 6/10½ per cwt. Oct.-Nov. shipments c.i.f. to U.K. COCOA—West African on spot in slow demand, but no quotable change in values. Sellers new crop f.o.b. fair fermented Accra kinds Nov.-Jan. shipments at 25/- and buyers 24/6 D clause; new crop A clause 28/- per cwt. sellers Nov.-Jan. shipments ex quay terms Liverpool. Futures quiet and barely steady. Business done in March at 26/6 per cwt. COFFEE steadier, but irregular. HEMP—Manila very firm, with values nominal at £19 K grade, £18 L1, £17 12/- L2, and £18 per ton M1, all c.i.f. Oct.-Dec. and Nov.-Jan. shipments. Receipts in Manila for past week, 14,000 bales. JAPANESE PEAS—Spot held for £23 and forward shipments new crop c.i.f. £17 10/- per ton. RICE BRAN continues firm and favouring sellers at £4 7/6 per ton ex ship terms Oct.-Dec. shipment. OILCAKES—Demand on the slow side for all descriptions. American linseed quoted £7 5/- c.i.f. Oct.-Nov. shipment. PALM KERNELS slow, with sellers Sept.-Oct., Oct.-Nov. and Nov.-Dec. shipments £11 per ton, with buyers indifferent. TALLOW firm, with sellers of forward South American holding off. Nominal value 22/- per cwt. c.i.f. Oct.-Nov. shipments.

LIVERPOOL SUGAR.—Tate and Lyle's quotations:—Crystals, ones 23/-; granulated, standard 20/10½; yellows, thirds 20/-.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

SHARP FALL IN TIN—COPPER WEAK.

TIN—In the standard market, values reacted sharply from recent higher levels, sellers being more in evidence. Though a fairly good business transpired, official quotations marked a decline of 145/- per ton for cash and 140/- forward on balance. Standard cash quoted £125 to £125 5/-, three months £129 10/- to £129 15/-, settlement price £125. Sales amounted to 1,100 tons; cash at £126 5/-, £127 and £125, three months £132 10/-, £129 10/-, and £129 15/-; English ingots quoted £127 10/- to £128 10/-. In the East 350 tons sold over the week-end on the basis of £136 5/- to £135 5/-, c.i.f. COPPER market continued active, but with sellers to the fore a weaker tone resulted, with cash officially 32/6, and forward 30/- per ton down on balance. Standard cash quoted £33 17/6 to £34, three months £35 2/6 to £35 5/-, settlement price £34. 1,900 tons changed hands: cash at £33 12/6, £33 10/-, £34, and £33 17/6, three months £35, £36 10/- and £35 5/-; electros £41 5/- to £41 15/-, wire bars £41 15/-. LEAD easier on selling pressure, with a fair business at the decline. 700 tons sold: good soft foreign pig October at £14 7/6 to £14, December £14 10/- to £13 15/-, settlement price £13 15/-, English quoted £15 5/-. SPELTER also declined on liberal offers, with a good business passing. 1,300 tons sold: October at £13 to £12 17/6, November £13 5/-, December £13 12/6, £13 6/3 and £13 7/6, settlement price £12 17/6. TIN PLATES firmer; i.e. coke prompt and forward 15/6 per box f.o.b. Swansea. ALUMINIUM, also QUICKSILVER, unaltered.

Second Session.—Tin weak. 450 tons sold: cash sold £122 15/- to £123, closing value £123 5/-, three months sold £129 15/-, £127, to £128, closing value £127 15/-. Copper irregular. 700 tons sold: cash sold £33, closing value £33 12/6, three months sold £35, £34 and £35. Lead steadier. 250 tons sold. Good soft foreign pig December £14 5/-, £14 10/- and £14 5/-. Spelter steadier. 100 tons sold. December £13 7/6 to £13 10/-.

AUSTRALIAN WOOL SALES.

At yesterday's wool sale at Sydney the offerings amounted to 10,804 bales, of which 9,970 were sold. Wool sold privately consisted of 3,078 bales. There was a good selection. Competition was very strong and general, Yorkshire demand being a feature of the sale. Prices showed a further increase of 10 per cent. for the best descriptions and 5 per cent. for other descriptions, except the most inferior. Greasy merino realised up to 15d., comeback up to 10d. and cross-bred up to 9½d. The average prices at last week's sales were £9 4s. 4d. a bale and 6.89d. a pound.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

Three catalogues were offered, totalling 11,053 bales, including 2,401 New South Wales, 4,542 Queensland, 763 Victorian, 603 West Australian, 338 South Australian, 2,136 New Zealand, 158 Cape. A good selection of merino qualities encountered active competition, and a firm market resulted, values tending in sellers' favour. The sales will be extended until Tuesday, October 6th.

HAY FIRE IN DUBLIN.

Seventy tons of hay, owned by Mr. Patrick Dolan, Ruth villa, Philipsburgh avenue, Dublin, was destroyed by fire yesterday. The hay had been stored at Sallypark, Philipsburgh avenue, and was discovered on fire at 11 o'clock yesterday morning. The fire brigade failed to save the property.

Insurances at low rates with Phœnix Assurance Co., Ltd., 10-12 Trinity street, Dublin.—R. H. Bolton, Manager. Agents everywhere. (Advt.)

NEW LIVE STOCK TRANSPORT.

ALL-IRISH SHIPPING COMPANY.

INSPIRED BY RECENT PROTEST MEETING.

A NEW steamship service for the carriage of live stock to England has been established. It will begin operations next week.

Mr. James J. Stafford, of Cromwell's Fort, Wexford, who is widely known in shipping and export circles, and is the prime mover in the creation of this new service, gave particulars of the new company to an *Irish Times* representative.

The Irish Shipping Company, he said, has been established to operate a live stock and general cargo service between Dublin and Birkenhead and Liverpool. Through the good offices of the Dublin Port and Docks Board, the company have secured the use of transit sheds at the Great Britain quays, South Wall, Dublin, and the Dublin offices of the company have been located with Messrs. P. Donnelly and Sons, coal merchants, 37 Westmoreland street, Dublin.

BI-WEEKLY SAILINGS.

The inaugural sailing will be definitely fixed for a date within the next week or ten days. Thereafter there will be regular bi-weekly sailings. "These will, of course, be increased to accommodate the support received, and we will see that the goods entrusted to our care get prompt and efficient handling. As anticipated by us, it has been somewhat difficult to find a suitable yard available for the inspection and shipment of live stock, but we confidently believe that this handicap will very shortly be surmounted."

Mr. Stafford went on to say that the Irish Shipping Company was a purely Irish concern, which would be run in conjunction with the Wexford Steamship Company, Ltd., who have been operating a regular bi-weekly service for live stock and general cargo between Wexford and Birkenhead for the past four or five years.

RATES CHARGED ON CATTLE.

It was on February 21, 1930, a public meeting of protest against rates charged on cattle, local and cross-Channel, was held in the Mansion House, Dublin. The meeting was convened by the Irish Live Stock Exporters' and Traders' Association, and was attended from the Free State and Northern Ireland by Senators, deputies, representatives of Chambers of Commerce, county councils, agricultural committees, and urban councils. The meeting attracted wide attention at the time, but there was no concrete outcome.

Mr. J. J. Stafford since took up the matter in a whole-hearted way, which has resulted in the establishment of the Irish Shipping Company. Messrs. P. Donnelly and Sons, whose offices will be the headquarters of the new company, are also associated with the Wexford Steamship Company, Ltd., and Messrs. J. J. Stafford, of Wexford.

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.

COSTLY EPITHETS.

STREET SALESMAN AND THE GUARD.

(BEFORE MR. LITTLE.)

John Currid (19), an itinerant jewellery salesman, with an address in Henry street, who was charged with causing an obstruction and being guilty of insulting behaviour in Henry street last Saturday afternoon, was alleged to have said to a Guard: "You are only a Black-and-Tan. Thank God, there are not any more Black-and-Tans like you in the force."

The Guard said that Currid refused to go away when he spoke to him, and told him that it was down in Clare he ought to be.

The accused man said that he was selling his goods in Henry street, and was walking up and down as required. He denied that he was shouting. He had, he said, "enough to do to hold his own against the other traders in the street." (Laughter.) He thought that he had a right to a living in his own city. In making his protest, he might have made some reference to the Black-and-Tans, but not in the terms which appeared on the sheet.

For the obstruction the defendant was fined 20s., and on the second charge a fine of 40s. was imposed.

CROKE PARK SCENE.

ALLEGED PICKPOCKETS FROM BELFAST.

Two Belfast men, John Wilson (26), Donegall road, and William Geddes (25), Hunter street, were before the Court charged with stealing a purse, containing eleven shillings, from the pocket of Thomas Gill, Eccles street, at Croke Park, where the All-Ireland Gaelic football final was played. They were also charged with loitering.

Gill gave evidence that he felt a hand in his pocket, and, turning round, saw Geddes with a purse in his hand. Geddes passed the purse to the other defendant, and when he took hold of them both it fell on the ground.

The defendants were remanded in custody.

A SERIOUS CHARGE.

Denis Murphy (24), a tramcar driver, of Church road, was returned for trial to the Circuit Court, charged with a grave offence against a fourteen years old girl on the Dodder bank, near Sandymount. Mr. L. T. McCarthy, solicitor, appeared for the defence.

AN ENTERPRISING FIRM.

The old-established firm of W. Drummond and Sons, Ltd., nursery, bulb and seed merchants, of 57 and 58 Dawson street, Dublin, and Stirling, Scotland, have acquired the business of James Dugan, seed merchant, 5 Dublin street and Pembroke Nurseries, Carlow, as a going concern. The excellence of Messrs. Drummond's stocks of vegetable and flower seeds is evidenced by prize awards at the various shows throughout the Free State. The new nurseries at Carlow deserve special attention in view of the numerous cups and gold medals awarded. The placing of a branch business in the central South will be of service to Messrs. Drummond's clients, and will facilitate expeditious deliveries of goods.

Irish Fair.

CLONES (CO. MONAGHAN).—Average-sized cattle fair, the approximate numbers on offer being:—Store cattle, 600; fat cattle, 70; springers and milch cows, 420; calves 50. Some 30 lambs, 30 fat sheep and 300 young pigs were also offered. The cattle fair was composed chiefly of shorthorn stock. Average attendance of buyers, and all classes of store cattle, except well-bred young heifers, for breeding, met a slow trade at reduced prices. Fat cattle met but little inquiry, and many lots failed to clear. Prime springers and milch cows were readily cashed at firm values; thin and inferior grades were hard to cash. Fat sheep and lambs sold slowly at figures tending lower. Young pigs met a moderate request at current quotations. Dropped calves, £2 10s. to £3 5s. Young cattle—6 to 12 months, £5 to £9. Store cattle—1 to 2 years, £7 10s. to £12 10s.; 2 to 3 years, £10 10s. to £15; 3 years and over, first, £14 10s. to £16. Fat cattle—2 to 3 years, first, £16 to £18; cows and bulls, £9 to £17. Springers (cows and heifers), £13 to £21. Milch cows (down calved), £12 to £19. Fat lambs (under 12 months)—Long wools, 30s. to 40s. Fat sheep (wethers, etc.)—2 years and over, long wools, 40s. to 50s. Young pigs, under 12 weeks, 25s. to 37s.

CHURCH SERVICES.

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—St. Michael and All Angels. Holy Communion in the Lady Chapel at 8 and 11 a.m. Morning Service at 10 o'clock. Psalm, 34. Urbs Fortitudinis, 29. Hymn, 199 (1), vv. 1, 2, 5. Evening Service at 4 o'clock. Psalms, 91, 143. Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, Stainer in E flat. Anthem, "For He shall give His angels," Mendelssohn.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—St. Michael and All Angels. Morning Prayer at 10.45 o'clock. Te Deum, 71. Hymn, 199. Holy Communion in the Lady Chapel at 11.30 a.m. Evening Prayer at 3 o'clock. Tours in F. Anthem, "For He shall give His angels," Mendelssohn.

IRISH T.U.C. AND CIVIL SERVICE.

ACTION AGAINST BONUS CUT.

TO SEEK INTERVIEW WITH PRESIDENT.

By Our Labour Correspondent.

I WAS informed that the Irish Trades Union Congress is now interesting itself in the fight of the Free State Civil Service against the cut in the cost of living bonus, which came into operation on the first of the present month.

When the cut was first proposed the trade unions catering for the Civil Service, including the Civil Service Clerical Association and the Postal Workers' Union, sought representation with Mr. Blythe, Minister for Finance, with a view to having him receive a deputation of the parties concerned to discuss the situation, and to consider the advisability of setting up a commission to go into the system of compiling the cost of living bonus figure. The Minister refused to meet the deputation, but offered to hear the case against the cut and the arguments of the Service through a number of paid officials of the Service. The unions claimed that they had the same right to interview the Minister, who was really the employer of their members, as any union had to represent its members in disputes with outside and commercial employers, and stated that the Minister's offer was most unsatisfactory. Nothing further, however, was done by the Minister, and the cut came into operation as stated.

METHOD OF FIXING INDEX.

I learnt yesterday that the T.U.C. hope to have a deputation meet President Cosgrave on the question of representation, and they will urge the necessity for a revision of the method of compiling the cost of living bonus figure.

I was informed that already about ten thousand signatures have been placed to the petition against the reduction issued by the Cost of Living Bonus Joint Committee, which is to be presented to the President.

A meeting of the committee is to be held this week, and it is possible that the petition will be forwarded to the President by the week-end.

THE ALL-ROUND CUT.

"Our view is that, having regard to the severe cuts that have been suffered by the lower branches of the Civil Service owing to the reduction of the cost of living bonus, it is impossible that any further economies can be effected at our expense," said Mr. A. Heron, Secretary of the Civil Service Clerical Association, when discussing with me the report that the Free State Government intends to impose a ten per cent. all round cut in official salaries.

Mr. Heron went on to explain that as yet no official intimation had been received in Civil Service circles of the proposed cut. He pointed out that the basic wage of the bulk of civil servants was so low that there was no room for economy.

"Generally," he stated, "we have contributed more than our share in bonus cuts. The *moral* of the Service has been made bad enough as the result of the last cut enforced on the first of the month, and I think the Government fully realises that."

"Poor as my opinion of the present Government is, I do not believe that they will be foolish enough to attempt a policy of cuts such as that indicated," said Mr O'Connell, T.D., Secretary of the Irish National Teachers' Organisation, when I asked for his opinion on the report.

NO URGENT NEED.

Such a policy—affecting teachers, postal workers, etc., at a time when it must be obvious that there is going to be a rise in the cost of living, and when there are indications of upward prices for agricultural products and Irish goods—would restrict the purchasing power of those who are advised by President Cosgrave to buy those goods, he said. It would, therefore, defeat the very object which the President apparently had in mind when he appealed a few days ago to the people to buy home goods.

"If," he added, "there is to be development of the home market, surely such a policy would be the wrong way to go about it. The Revenue returns, so far as they are available, do not show that there is any urgent need for such drastic action."

"The example of the Government," Mr. O'Connell said, "would naturally be followed by outside employers, who would endeavour to reduce wages. The country would thus be thrown into industrial chaos at a time when there was a hope of substantial development."

Personally, he believed that the report was the outcome of Fianna Fail propaganda, and that there were no real grounds for it. He was of opinion that the Fianna Fail Party was endeavouring to raise an atmosphere of economy among the small farmers of the country, and, he declared, the real danger would be that the Government might be stampeded into adopting that policy.

ALREADY TOO LOW.

Mr. Norton, General Secretary of the Post Office Workers' Union, when interviewed by me, said that his Union had no official intimation of any proposed cuts in the wages of Post Office officials, and he could scarcely believe that any such reduction was contemplated. He pointed out that in the case of Post Office employés wages were abnormally low, and at the present time they were demanding wage increases. He stated that in a Budget statement in 1927, Mr. Blythe, Minister for Finance, admitted that the wages of the postal service were low, and, continued Mr. Norton, the position had been further aggravated since then by reason of the automatic cuts in remuneration consequent upon the alleged fall in the cost of living index figure.

There are 11,000 civil servants in receipt of a basic wage of less than 35s. per week, he said, and, with the addition of the cost of living bonus with the index figure at 60, the combined wage amounted to less than £2 16s. per week. That, he contended, was clear evidence, so far as the majority of civil servants were concerned, that there was no room for further reductions in wages, and it indicated that there was a strong claim for an increase on the present low rates.

"Any attempt," he concluded, "to enforce a ten per cent. cut on the wages of Post Office employés would be fought vigorously by the Union."

PROPOSED TARIFF ON BACON.

EVIDENCE PREPARED FOR INQUIRY.

It is understood that in the wholesale provision trade in Dublin and other parts of the Free State there is a strong feeling against the views of bacon curers and farmers who are in favour of having a tariff imposed on imported bacon. An *Irish Times* representative was informed yesterday by a member of the provision trade that an inquiry had been called for, and that recently the members of the Irish Wholesale Provision Trade Association held a meeting in Dublin, and after discussing the question decided to oppose an application to the Tariff Commission to have such a tariff imposed.

It is understood that it was decided that evidence should be prepared for submission to the Tariff Commission in support of the opposition, and that some of the wholesale traders in the South of Ireland are preparing to make a case against the proposed impost.

TARIFF UNNECESSARY.

A view expressed to an *Irish Times* representative yesterday by a wholesale merchant was that, as a result of the changed economic conditions arising from the departure of Great Britain from the gold standard, no tariff was necessary, as there would be a much more favourable market in England for Irish bacon than before.

UNION OF AGHADOWN.

The Bishop of Cork has directed the Board of Nominators for the Union of Aghadown (Co. Cork) to meet on October 5th. The Board will appoint an incumbent to the parish in place of the Rev. J. P. Phair, who resigned recently.

OPENING OF IRISH WIRELESS EXHIBITION.

Mr. Heffernan, Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Posts and Telegraphs, opening the Irish Wireless and Gramaphone Exhibition, in the Mansion House, Dublin, yesterday. Seated in front are (left to right): The Lord Mayor of Dublin (Senator Alfred J. Byrne), Mr. A. O'D. Sheil, Mr. G. A. Pemberton, Mr. F. T. Clarke and Mr. G. A. Holland. At back: Mr. H. J. Duncan and Mr. E. J. Hart.

WATERWAYS, LIMITED.

FROM THE LIFFEY TO THE RIVER SHANNON.

1. Midnight on The Grand Canal.

By a Special Correspondent.

EXACTLY where the Banba is moored I do not know. It is somewhere between Robertstown and Tullamore, but it is impossible to tell any more closely, for the place does not exist on the Grand Canal. Between Ringsend and Shannon Harbour there is only one sizeable town, Tullamore, and it seems that position is reckoned among the bargees by their distance from Tullamore. We might have obtained our present bearings with somewhat greater accuracy, with the aid of an ordnance map, if we could have read the names carved upon the old bridges under which we passed, but for many miles the gathering gloom has made that impossible.

At all events, we are somewhere within the borders of Offaly. For mile upon mile we have chugged our way through bog-brown bog, with now and again a gargantuan turf-stack. As the last light is disappearing, we have tied up to a handy pair of posts, in a different area—a green land, more sparsely peopled, if anything, than the bogland, almost entirely untilled, and almost terrifying in its silence. The night around is pitch dark as I sit typing in the Banba's stern by the light of a storm lamp. The few tiny sounds only seem to show off the silence. Listening, I can dimly hear four of them: the occasional cough of some animal feeding near at hand, every now and then the breath of a tiny breeze among the branches, the barking of a distant dog, and soft, but persistent, the far away throb of a lighter's exhaust. The noise of that engine has grown no louder for half an hour, so it must be very far away. Probably in another hour or so it will become clearer and deeper. Then a red light will show dimly along the canal, and, as it draws nearer, the steady chug will die down to an occasional throb as the steersman sees my storm lamp and checks his engine to avoid tearing my moorings. The red lamp will loom up overhead, and behind it a dark figure, faintly outlined against the less intense dark of the sky. There is a ghostly swish as the lighter's snub stern thrusts the water aside, and another dim form looms up at the huge tiller. They pass the time of night quietly, and go on their way—steering, as it seems to me, by some sort of instinct, so dark is the night. The Banba bumps once against the bank. The lighter's exhaust resumes its steady pulse, fainter and fainter as it increases the miles of water between us.

SUNSET AND HALF-MOON.

There is no moon to-night—our third night out from Ringsend. The first night had a glorious moon, and we tied up just after the sun had set, so that the whole west was red, while the east darkened to set off the moon. It was at a place called Ardclough, where a bunch of willing urchins had seized our forward rope, and hauled us with enthusiasm to our berth—too much enthusiasm, indeed; for they hauled us thirty feet past it before I could jump to the bank and direct operations. Anyhow, the berth and the night were alike perfect. There was something almost tropical about the moon through the trees, and the canal gleamed like yellow gold "Like the pixtures," said George, and so it was.

The second night out was comparatively dull, though vastly more comfortable; for we had learned by then the trick of making up beds. The first night, for all its loveliness, had been mightily cold, and the bedclothes kept falling off, and hard edges pressed into our backs. For the second night, however, we lay at Sallins in comfort, but it proved a dull berth. All the populace gathered on the bridge to look at us, and doubtless they jeered the next morning to find our forward and aft storm lamps still burning—a sure sign that, at half-past seven we had not yet risen. Let us give this tip to any who propose to follow in our wake along the Grand Canal. It is far better to tie up at night in a lonely place. Not only are you free from observation, but you will find in the loneliness that quiet and terrible mystery which, despite the poets, does exist in the Irish country-side and bogland. On the other hand, you may find it much more difficult to get the morning's milk.

THE START.

So much for the nights. If they are beautiful, they lack excitement, which is just as well, seeing that we get plenty of it by day. The fun began when we had loosed the Banba from her moorings in the Liffey, and had swung round the corner of the South Wall, heading for the Ringsend lock, which would admit us to the Grand Canal. We entered the lock with beating hearts; for it looked formidable from the outside, and there was a host of idlers standing by to criticise We negotiated it, as a matter of fact, without any further casualty than the loss of some paint; and this was no particular loss, since it was very dirty paint, and the Banba looked rather cleaner without it Next we headed across the basin, myself at the prow and George at the helm. Unfortunately, at the inner end of the basin is a sharp turn, and George proved himself unable to negotiate it at the speed that we were making. I, for my part, could not get out a boat-hook with sufficient speed to fend off; and, even if I had, it would have been no earthly manner of use. So for one horrible breathless moment I watched the Banba's slim nose headed direct for the corner of the bridge, and then with a crash we had struck.

I shrugged my shoulders, as who should say: "Thus passes a gallant ship. It is fate." But fate had not descended yet upon the Banba. The crash had not been due to any splitting of her timbers, but to the collapse of the pots and pans in the galley; and, with the exception of some more paint, nothing had suffered. Nevertheless, I would not be convinced until I had penetrated to the forecastle and ascertained that she was not making water. Which having been done, we proceeded, under the kindly guidance of a man who had known the Banba in days when she gambolled merrily along the waterways between Limerick and Dublin. Indeed, I have found that the Banba, for her own sake, inspires kindly feelings all along our route. People take to her as to an old friend who has been absent for a long time. She looks somewhat different now, since I have made alterations in her upper works; but they recognise her wherever she goes, and treat her gently in the locks.

LOCKS.

There is a formidable array of locks between Dublin and Clondalkin. I meant to count them, so that I could tick them off as we proceeded, but before we had even reached Portobello I had lost count. Actually, I believe, there are forty-four between Ringsend and Shannon Harbour, but it seemed to us that we had had to endure far more than forty-four before we had arrived at Sallins. Our procedure on the first day was technically correct, but distinctly clumsy in practice. The trouble sprang from the fact that I had had the Banba's engine overhauled for this trip. It has worked excellently so far, but the clutch is not as free as it might be. What we did then was as follows:—I put the engine into neutral when we were at least a hundred yards from the lock. George, meanwhile, who does not trust anybody else's steering, would guide the ship gently towards the lock. As her nose passed the gates he would rush forward over the cabin top, seize the rope coiled on the forward deck, and cast it up to the lock-man above our heads.

When he saw that the lock-man had it, he would occupy himself in fending the ship off from the walls of the lock, while Mary heaved the afterline upwards, not infrequently failing to cast it the required length. Meanwhile, I would be toiling at the engine—reversing if she seemed to be going too far ahead, and putting in a touch of ahead if she showed signs of backing out before the gates had been closed behind us. When finally she was at rest, and the water was coming in, we all played a part in fending her off. If I had taken the precaution to bring enough side-fenders, whether common motor tyres or natty cork arrangements bought in a ship chandler's, a lot of trouble would have been saved.

As a matter of fact, from observation of a barge, I see that our technique was perfectly correct. The second day we did precisely the same, but rather better, and with a notable absence of flurry. On the third day, even though George had left us, and Mary and I were left to work the boat by ourselves, we succeeded admirably. Locks are an appalling bugbear until one gets used to them, but a very little practice makes them extremely simple. Descending locks give no trouble at all, since one has not to bother with ropes, and the only thing necessary is to fend off from the walls with a boat-hook.

COMPLICATIONS.

There are, of course, complications. I have described our procedure on the assumption that the gates at which one enters the lock are open. A certain amount of difficulty is involved if they are shut, because it is not always safe to pull in to the side and wait; there may not be enough water close in to the edge for a deep and narrow boat. The occasion then calls for careful manipulation of the engine, a slow approach to the lock, and some judicious work with a boat hook—or, preferably for the canals, a long pole. Things are even more complicated if the lock-keeper has dropped off for an after-dinner nap, or is occupied in picking winners. The only thing to do then is to make a fearsome leap for the shore, clutching the forward mooring between one's teeth. Sometimes one reaches the shore, but in any case one generally gets within wading distance. If you have not dropped the end of the rope, it can be made fast to the lock gate, after which the aft rope can be thrown ashore and made fast, holding the ship until the lock-keeper has revived. Such occasions, however, are rare, for the lock-keepers are vigilant men. It is not recommended, by the way, to go astern into the bank. The propeller is much more likely to foul than the stem.

To be Continued.

FREE STATE PRODUCTS.

FINE DISPLAY IN ENGLISH TOWN.

From Our Own Correspondent.

LONDON, Monday.

Mr. John Dulanty, High Commissioner for the Irish Free State in Great Britain, went down to Hitchin to-day and formally opened a shopping week, where a large and varied assortment of Irish Free State goods is on exhibition.

The chair was taken by Mr. Delme Ratcliffe, and others on the platform included Mr. D. Halsey, Chairman of the Hitchin Council, and Captain Travers Griffin.

FREE STATE'S CLAIM.

The High Commissioner, after congratulating the people of Hitchin on their enlightened enterprise, described in detail the various Irish Free State products which were there displayed.

He said that the claim of the Irish Free State producer on the British consumer was so obvious that he had a certain sense of embarrassment in stating it. To the fact that the quality and price were right was added the no less demonstrable fact that in certain commodities the Irish Free State bought more from Great Britain than all the foreign countries of the world put together. An impressive fact at any time, it was still more impressive to-day when Great Britain was striving to peg the pound, and doing everything possible to save it from the calamitous history of the mark and the franc a few years ago.

FULL VALUE FOR MONEY.

He quoted President Cosgrave as saying a few days ago to the people of Great Britain: "Buy the products of your country as far as you can first, and after that Free State products." In this way valuable assistance to the maintenance of sterling can be provided. The British trader got a full twenty shillings to the pound on his account with Ireland, and there was no question about a continuance of that condition; "but," Mr. Dulanty urged, "you cannot expect the Irish Free State to continue buying from Britain on the present big and important scale if you people in Britain do not reciprocate."

It was clear that in their own interests the British people should buy more and more Irish products, and that they should do so quickly.

PROPOSED DUTY ON OATS.

THE FEEDING OF RACEHORSES.

EVIDENCE OF FREE STATE TRAINERS.

EVIDENCE with regard to the class of oats used in horse-racing stables in the Free State was tendered by prominent trainers at a special sitting of the Tariff Commission, held in the Board Room of the Department of Local Government, Upper Merrion street, yesterday.

Mr. H. O'Friel, Chairman, presided, and the other members of the Commission present were: Professor T. A. Smiddy and Mr. D. Toomey, with the Secretary, Mr. P. G. Dardis in attendance.

Mr. Cecil Brabazon, horse trainer, Ranger Lodge, Curragh, said he thought it necessary to import oats on account of the change in climatic conditions in Ireland during the past few years. He trained from fifteen to twenty horses every year, and he fed these principally on Irish oats. He bought very little Canadian oats.

Chairman—Why then do you say that it is necessary to import oats?—Because on account of bad weather conditions it is sometimes impossible for horse trainers to get an adequate supply of Irish oats. I, myself, prefer to use Irish oats.

You are satisfied that in giving your horses Irish oats you are doing your duty to the owners?—I am.

You are satisfied your horses are doing as good as if they were fed on imported oats?—I am.

In further reply to the Chairman, the witness said that his horses got, on an average, from a stone to sixteen pounds of oats a day.

SUCCESSFUL HORSES.

Answering questions put by Mr. Toomey, he said that he had won important races with the horses fed on Irish oats.

Irish-grown oats have not in any way interfered with the success of your horses?—No.

You think the present price of oats is reasonable?—I don't know about that.

In relation to years gone by, is the price of oats very low?—I would not say so.

The oat market generally is not very good?—No

Witness further said that he was in favour of a low tariff, if it gave the farmers a better price for their oats.

Mr. J. T. Rogers, of Crotanstown House, Curragh, said he had upwards of fifty horses in training, and was a substantial purchaser of oats

In reply to the Chairman, he said he considered that, owing to the climate, Irish oats were not quite dry enough to feed horses in training. Canadian oats were exceedingly dry, and he found that suitable feeding was got by a mixture of two-thirds Irish and one-third Canadian oats.

He found that the normal quantity for feeding a horse in training was 14 lb. a day. It worked out at that weight for seven days each week of the year.

Chairman—Supposing there was a tariff put on oats, would it affect you adversely?—I believe it would, a little, but I would be pleased to see a little tariff. I would not mind paying a shilling or two more for oats.

In reply to further questions by the Chairman witness said that the charge for training worked out at three or four guineas a week. Under an agreement made some years ago the charge was fixed at 11s. a day minimum to cover all expenses.

IRISH OATS.

In reply to Mr. Toomey witness said that Irish oats were quite good enough for hunters. In his own stud farm, too, he never used any but Irish oats, but for horses in hard training dry oats were absolutely essential.

He admitted that there were seasons when he had successfully trained racehorses on Irish oats, but the last few years were bad, and he had to get dry Canadian oats.

He had bought direct from the farmers, but the difficulty about this was that the farmers had not the facilities for cleaning and screening oats.

STACKING REQUIRED.

He added that the practice of keeping oats in stack was not nearly as general now as it was twenty years ago. The farmers could not afford to let the oats stand for long in stack. In England it was a general practice to keep the oats in stack and not thresh out until the spring. If that could be done here it would help to make Irish oats drier. He found oats from the South of England just as satisfactory as the Canadian oats.

In reply to Professor Smiddy, witness said that there had been a considerable increase of recent years in the number of horses in training in Ireland, and there was also a great increase in the numbers of yearlings exported from the country. The reputation of Irish horses was growing every year, as the worth of Irish horses was being more widely recognised.

Mr. R. More O'Ferrall, Monasterevan, in the course of replies to questions put by the Chairman, said that he did not use any imported oats. He only tried three lots of them this year, but they were so bad that he did not want to try any more. He had been successful in obtaining what he required of Irish oats.

Professor Smiddy—It would not bother you if no foreign oats were sold?

Witness replied that it would not. He could get what he required in the British Isles.

The public sittings of the Commission then ended.

Mr. Douglas Fairbanks is contemplating an air tour of South America to make pictures. He may visit Europe first, says Reuter.

BROADCASTING FROM 2 RN.

SELF-SUPPORTING FROM THE FIRST.

WORK ON HIGH-POWER STATION TO BEGIN.

"I SHOULD not be surprised if the proceedings at the opening ceremony of the Wireless Exhibition next year are put on the air from the new high-power station," said Mr. M. P. Heffernan, Free State Parliamentary Secretary to the Department of Posts and Telegraphs, when formally opening the Wireless and Gramaphone Exhibition at the Mansion House, Dublin, last night.

Mr. Heffernan, continuing, said—"Last year it was announced that sanction had been given to the declared policy of establishing a high-power station in the Free State. Rumour has been busy, and many unfounded statements and reports have been circulated. I state quite definitely and emphatically that Government policy has not changed as to the establishment of the station.

"It is regretted that certain delays have occurred. This has been due to one cause only—the difficulty of obtaining a suitable site. To the uninitiated this would seem a simple matter, but it is not so. We can only aim to get one which has the least number of imperfections.

ADVANTAGES OF DELAY.

"Inquiries and examinations have now virtually been brought to a close, and it is hoped that sanction will be obtained very shortly for the preliminary work in connection with the erection of the station. The delay has had its advantages. It guarantees the latest and the most scientific transmission machinery for our new station, and thereby postpones the obsolescence which takes place so quickly in such circumstances."

Mr. Heffernan said that he recognised the obligation cast on broadcasting authorities in regard to the power of their transmission. As things were, there were many persons who were unable to hear the Dublin station. This position was unfair, and it was their duty to remedy the fault as quickly and as efficiently as possible.

NO COST TO TAXPAYER.

He wished to make it clear that broadcasting in the Irish Free State had never cost the ordinary taxpayer a penny. It was self-supporting from the beginning. The financial scheme for the projected high-power station was based on similar plans, and it was estimated that the full capital and annual costs would be defrayed from the revenue derived from wireless licence duty and import duty on wireless apparatus.

The amateur economists who intend to reduce Government expenditure by abolishing the scheme for a high-power station are warned that they are stirring a mare's nest which will not be found to hold any golden eggs, said Mr. Heffernan.

DUBLIN PROGRAMMES.

While not apologising in any way for 2 RN programmes, Mr. Heffernan said that critics must bear in mind when making invidious comparisons that the Free State broadcasting had limits as to financial resources and talent not imposed on neighbouring rivals.

"Allowing for these limitations," he continued, "I contend that to an unbiassed listener the Dublin programme does not need apologies. We have been pioneers in many respects. We gave outside broadcasts before many of our more ambitious rivals. A definite decision as to future policy in regard to sponsored programmes had not yet been made."

It was anticipated, he said, that sanction will shortly be obtained for the permanent augmentation of the Dublin Station orchestra, which, because of its size, was subject to many disadvantages, and the listening public would appreciate this improvement. The extension of the wireless trade must largely be amongst the agricultural community, and it would be well if traders gave attention to further reductions in price, and to the requirements and resources of farmers, whose financial conditions had altered greatly in recent times.

INCREASED SALES.

The Lord Mayor congratulated the organisers of the Exhibition, and said he was glad to learn that sales had gone up by 50 per cent. within twelve months. Everyone who listened without prejudice to the Dublin programmes would, he said, agree that they have been equal to any British or foreign programmes.

The Organising Committee previously entertained the Lord Mayor and Mr. Heffernan to dinner in the Bonne Bouche Restaurant.

The City Central Bank and Trust Company, of San Antonio, Texas, with sixteen million dollars resources, did not open yesterday pending re-adjustment of its affairs, says an Exchange message.

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A poster threatening the life of the Acting Governor of Bombay, Sir J. E. B. Hotson, who recently escaped an attempt on his life, was found posted on a lamp-post in Poona yesterday morning. It expressed Communistic sentiments.—(Reuter.)

Lord Knutsford, Chairman of the London Hospital, and whose ability to raise money for it earned for him the title, "The Prince of Beggars," left gross estate £77,654, with net personalty £64,539. He leaves everything to his wife, Lady Knutsford.

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City Maps.

A resident in Dublin or Belfast, out of his own familiarity with his city, finds it difficult to realise how anyone could fail easily to make his way to any of the city's notable places or beauty spots. Yet the tourist does not find things so easy, and, though local guides may be full of intriguing information, and even well supplied with street maps, if he be not accustomed to doing so, he finds considerable trouble in translating the guide book's recommendations into action. I was talking to such a tourist the other day, a gentleman whose difficulties were enhanced by the fact that he was slightly deaf. He suggested to me that the authorities might well erect in convenient places large wall maps and indicators such as those by whose aid the London underground railways have done so much to facilitate the movements of the stranger in the city. As a further convenience to the visitor, he suggested that tramway companies should post in readily accessible places information about the times of first and last trams to and from the various termini.

An Irish Actor-Author.

Whitford Kane, whose memoirs under the title of "Are We All Met?" have just been published on both sides of the Atlantic, is a native of Larne, County Antrim—writes a correspondent. He took an active part in the Ulster Theatre movement some twenty-five years ago, and later became a member of Miss Horniman's Gaiety Theatre (Manchester) Company. He had, early in his career, headed a company of his own which toured Ulster in Shakespeare. As a member of the Ulster Players he created the *rôle* of the Roman Catholic farmer in Rutherford Mayne's "The Troth." He was later selected by John Galsworthy to create the title *rôle* in "The Pigeon." He subsequently went to America to act in "The Drone." This play opened in Daly's Theatre, New York, and on the night of the performance the theatre was condemned by the city authorities and ordered to be closed. The critics hailed the play with great praise, but, for some unknown reason, its run was not transferred to another theatre, and it enjoys the unique distinction of being a successful play with only a single performance to its credit. Later Mr. Kane ran an Irish Theatre in Chicago and subsequently in New York. He wrote "Dark Rosaleen," an Irish comedy, which was staged by David Belasco, with Eileen Huban as the "star." The play ran in New York for several months. Mr. Kane himself joined Belasco's forces also, and toured for three years in Edward Knoblock's "Tiger! Tiger!" In 1925 he became a director at the Goodman Memorial Theatre, Chicago, where he successfully staged Sean O'Casey's "Juno and the Paycock." He hopes to visit Ireland next summer after an absence of twenty years.

Turtle Races.

It seems that the odd sport of turtle-racing has become so popular in America that at Oklahoma recently no fewer than fifty entrants lined up at the starting-post—or whatever they do—for a prize of £175. Yet the idea is not quite so novel as it seems. I remember that when a number of divers were employed in submarine work in Dover harbour some years ago, numerous complaints were made about the slowness of their work. At last the foreman determined to investigate the matter personally, and he descended to watch them at their toil. On arriving unexpectedly he was scandalised to see that the men were engaged in arranging crab races. I fear that his comments on the situation put a premature end to what promised to be a good day's sport.

Bi-lingual Officialdom.

A letter recently received from South Africa House, London, reminds me that Ireland is not alone in the possession of a bi-lingual officialdom, and also suggests a more logical procedure that might be adopted by our own Stationery Office. As everybody is aware, the Free State final income tax demands, dog licences, post-office notices, injunctions not to park in prohibited areas, and Government stationery usually have two versions of their inspired messages printed one above the other. The result of this is that the fervid and authentic patriot has to squint alarmingly to avoid contact with an alien tongue. My letter proved that such is not so in South Africa. On one side of the sheet everything was written and printed in perfect English. On the other side of the paper, however, the letter head was printed in Afrikaans, or South African Dutch, and the legend "Union of South Africa" reappeared as "Unie Van Suidafrica"; and I was introduced to the "Kantoor van die hoe Kommissaris" instead of the "Office of the High Commissioner." This seems to me much more satisfactory, since the most exclusive Boer can thus avoid any contact with the unfamiliar English tongue. All the Dominion's Government offices and departments seem determined to keep Afrikaans and English apart, and to this end the postal authorities have even gone to the length of duplicating every issue of stamps, the printing in one case being in Dutch and in the other English.

Commercial Candour.

One of the most convincing examples of commercial candour that I have noticed for a long time stared me in the face the other day from the counter of a Dublin store. A number of notices was stuck up here and there to call attention to the excellence of the wares displayed, and above a part of the counter on which lay a large heap of handkerchiefs I was entertained to read the legend—"Gentlemen's handkerchiefs. Threepence each. Wonderful bargains." These tempting words, however, were rather discounted by the last line of the notice—in much smaller print—which spoiled the effect by adding the barbed and cynical comment: "While they last."

A Mild Explosion.

In spite of all the mournful things the poets have said about it (a correspondent writes), I like the autumn. The nip in the air brings out the scents of trees and hedges, and it is pleasant to walk on a carpet of crinkly leaves. Yet I have a complaint to make, and the fact that I am one of the season's greatest supporters makes it certain that my complaint will secure the attention of all right-thinking people. Why, I ask, does the autumn invariably bring with it those horrid little devices of lead and string which cause our streets to reverberate from morning to night with countless little explosions? The boys do it: I have watched them at their fell activities. They take a small piece of red paper; insert it between the halves of a leaden weight tied with string, and hurl the pestilential device into the air with loud cries of triumphant anticipation. When it reaches the ground an extremely gratifying explosion takes place. I am no kill-joy, but I confess I am tired of this endless fusillade. At the beginning of November such things can cause no comment, but, if we are to be subjected for five weeks to a rehearsal of the explosive joys of the "Fifth," I feel that the time has come for me to put forward my mild, but firm, protest.

QUIDNUNC.

RATHMINES WEDDING.

Mr. W. R. Ffrench, eldest son of Major Ffrench, Indian Army (retired), and Mrs. Ffrench, of West Bromwich, Birmingham, photographed with his bride, Miss E. O'Reilly, of Mountpleasant avenue, Rathmines, after their marriage at the Church of Our Lady of Refuge, Rathmines, Dublin, yesterday. The bridegroom is a well-known English amateur footballer.

IRISH AERO CLUB PROGRESS.

STAFF INCREASED FOLLOWING INFLUX OF MEMBERS.

Since the "at home" of the Irish Aero Club at Baldonnel aerodrome last month the membership has increased so rapidly that it has become necessary to engage an assistant instructor. Mr. C. F. French, who has just completed a long term of service with the Royal Air Force, has been selected for the post, and his experience as pilot instructor in the Air Force will make him of great assistance to Mr. W. R. Elliott, the chief instructor to the club.

The club during the early stages of its operations was handicapped owing to lack of funds, but the success of the "at home" and consequent increase in membership have enabled them to continue their policy of an "airminded Ireland."

Recently it was necessary to employ a full-time licensed ground engineer to keep the three Moth aeroplanes of the club in proper flying trim, and Mr. L. G. Stanton, an engineer of considerable experience on all types of aircraft, was selected. Mr. Stanton accompanied Leroy Manning, the famous American test pilot, on his tour round Europe with the Ford tri-motor monoplane.

The policy of the Irish Aero Club has always been to acquire the best possible machines and personnel, and this may lead to even wider developments in the near future, when it may become necessary for the Department of Industry and Commerce to establish a special aerodrome for civil purposes.

SHORTHAND-TYPISTS AND TYPISTS. Last Exam., Nov., 1930, 3 SUCCESSES. Previous Exam., Nov., 1929, 4 SUCCESSES. —McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, 5 Gardiner's Row, Dublin.—(Advt.)

THE ABBEY THEATRE.

PRODUCTION OF "PROFESSOR TIM."

Mr. George Shiels's "Professor Tim" is not a great play, but it has this merit as the choice of the Abbey Theatre Company for their last performance before leaving for their American tour—that it stands or falls by the standard of the acting. Last night a crowded house was rewarded with a good entertainment.

To a very great extent, the success of the performance is bound up in the success with which the principal character is played, and the part of the Professor is by no means an easy one. It is for Mr. F. J. McCormick, however, one of the best parts that he does, ranking with his Joxer, and what might in a lesser artist's hands become a piece of very transparent clowning was invested last night with real humanity. Miss May Craig also did well as the shrewish Mrs. Scally, a part which has more of reality about it than any of the others in the play, and, as John Scally, Mr. Michael J. Dolan played a very good second fiddle to her.

Mr. Barry Fitzgerald, without being called upon to do much, amused most of the audience with his presentation of the character of Joseph Kilroy, and Miss Eileen Crowe, as Peggy Scally, and Mr. F. J. Carolan, as James Kilroy, were both good. Mr. Denis O'Dea, Miss Maureen Delaney, Mr. Arthur Shields, Miss Shelah Richards, and Mr. Fred Johnson completed the cast.

"Professor Tim" will be presented every night this week at eight o'clock, and at a matinée at 2.30 on Saturday.

The execution of Arthur James Faraday Salvage, the 26 years old poultry farmer, sentenced to death for the murder of Ivy Godden at Ruckinge, near Ashford, Kent, has been fixed for Tuesday, October 6th, at Wandsworth Prison. Pierpoint will be the executioner.

IRISH HUNT FOLLOWER ENGAGED.

Captain Ian Tubbs, of the Coldstream Guards, with his fiancée, Miss Sophia Denys, at a show near Dublin. Miss Denys, who is a sister of Sir Peter Denys, Bart, is one of the keenest followers of the Carlow Hounds.

A WEDDING IN WESTERN IRELAND.

THE NIGHT OF FESTIVITIES.

By F. R. HIGGINS.

It was twilight. The bride and bridegroom were almost the last to arrive at the wedding house; in the fierce race to win the rights of drink distributor the competing drivers forgot the importance of the bridal party—and the bridal party just straggled home, according to the speed of their well-winded mare. As the new wife entered the door she was proudly blessed by her mother, in that customary manner of breaking an oatmeal cake above the bride's head. All her friends, particularly the now timid companions of her youth, offered greetings in various degrees of goodwill and envy. The bride appeared as an outsider to their current life. It seemed as if she were now a stranger entering her mother's kitchen. A stranger to the house in which she was born, in which she was now about to pass her last night, as a member of the family, under its familiar thatch! Of course, after a month's time she would return to her home for the formal visit of a day or so. She must return—it was the unbroken habit—and not before a month; but then she would enter her old home more of a stranger than ever. At that alien thought she began to cry.

"The poor creature," said one old woman to the pacifying mother, "let her cry; 'twill do her good."

"They all do the likes of that, they all do," granted another, as the quietly crying girl was led up to her late room off the kitchen. She was followed by most of the women folk—those main authorities on tears.

WAITING FOR SPORT.

Young men, having stabled their horses and their arguments on the meritorious driving on the "dragging," crowded into the cottage, and now they silently, meekly awaited any sport that was coming their way. The bridal party, with many friends, feasted in the girl's room. And, to put everyone in the proper humour, the man who led home the dragging was handing out large mugfuls of island whiskey to those invited wedding guests who took small pleasure in tea and cake. His previous bumpings, jostlings and joltings were all rehearsed—now in a welter of blessings.

"The likes of that was never seen," pronounced the driver of the bridal party, as he slapped the winner's hand. "No, but only for a bit of style I had on me car do you know what it is, my boyo, I'd have drawn sparks from under your crupper."

A crowd of shy girls entered the cottage, in the dimly lighted kitchen they sat on the fellows' knees and drank their cordials. So sport was beginning—the company grew boisterous. Two melodeons played against each other. "The Geese in the Bog" sounded well above "The Frost is all Over."

"Get up for a step—ye're wasting the music," one hearty old man roared to the fellows and girls. In response to the command all large pots, the table and the churn were left outside the cottage. Space having been cleared, the clay floor of the kitchen was casually taken by four young men. They stood out, all in their Sunday clothes, with gaudy scarves and wide woollen caps, and shaped for the dancing. The house was loud with music, gabble and laughter. But in whispers the four young men, standing out to dance, silently conferred among themselves as to suitable partners. During this four-headed conference, solemn, delicate, and, therefore, prolonged, the torrent of music continued. Suddenly the confiding group broke up. Each dancer took his own place on the floor; the man to the north facing the one at the south end of the kitchen—they were "tops" and "bottoms"—while the dancers facing east and west were "sides." Girl partners were beckoned out; and immediately on a sly exchange of greetings the kitchen rang with the feet and shout of dancers.

HALF-SETS.

They stepped with incredible speed through an Irish half-set; first "tops" and "bottoms" danced their parts, then "sides," each pair of partners spinning terrifically, like a whirling world of male and female hemispheres. With a turn in the music, partners were changed, only to spin again with top-like speed; afterwards to slowly circle round the kitchen in single file, following the course of the sun, while the male dancers kept their nimble feet weaving, with swift treads, in and out, through an airy design of most intricate interlacing. Hearty music stumbled into time at a break-neck rhythm. Each pair of partners sidled into another spin of sightless dizziness. Runs of praise were hurled at the dancers, the perspiring dancers yelled at their own agility, and then all swung, arms clasped behind each others' shoulders, into a fierce wheel. And as they spun, like one fiery tyre, the abuse of those tapping the barrel of porter grew louder in a far room. The first foamings of the barrel were drunk by those who had finished the dance.

"Thank God, there's a sup left, its that high," boasted the dragging leader, as he handed a quart jugful around the kitchen. "Another blow from the mallet and the bung-hole was gone, I'm half drowned with the precious stuff."

By the time porter and poteen had mingled in many a mouth, the wedding was in full swing. The kitchen floor became overcrowded with too many dancers. They yelled, clapped hands, sounded the clay floor and skelped their partners' flanks. Each man, by now, couldn't hold his thought, his mind belonged to his neighbour, all minds are now as one, and as one they all reeled through the same unlighted chaos. Into that disordered dimness a voice sang. Silence was called.

CLARHARAS.

'I've got gooseberry wine," chimed the singer, "from trees that never grew riper." A loud knock sounded on the door. The voice stopped. Immediately the kitchen filled with excited whisperings. The young people were particularly delighted by the knock. Something thrilling was about to happen. Everyone expected those outside; but the "man who led home the dragging" went to the closed door, and, in keeping with custom, he asked: "Who's there?"

"Clarharas," came the reply.

"Come in, gentlemen."

The door opened, and in trooped a crowd of frightful invaders, all fully disguised with a skill to terrify. These were the Clarharas—the Glomeras or the Straw Boys, as they are called in other places—the uninvited guests who attend every popular wedding to rise more sport, and for no ill purpose; although blows may be struck if an attempt was made to expel them or to good-humouredly remove a disguise. Such attempts would meet with a most vigorous and joint resistance. Each clarhara's identity is a grave personal secret. Coverings made of loose straw entirely hid the faces and heads of most claraharas; others were masked with false faces of white cloth, painted to the most sinister designs. Heavy bands of straw disfigured further the fantastic forms of those masculined women and feminined men, already well disguised with costumes of every extravagant fashion. Each of these weird-looking playboys was armed with a stick.

"Where did you come from, gentlemen?" the intruders were formally asked.

"We've straggled from Van Dieman's Land," replied their wild-hatted leader, in a disguised voice. Everyone laughed at the evasive reply.

"He has his word near him," commented the porter-blown bridegroom.

TAKING COMMAND.

'Well, then, gentlemen, what about the wetting of your mouths?" This offer of drink was refused by the same disguised voice. The mysterious leader requested the customary dance of the bridal party for the company's pleasure. Excitement began to run at its height. The Clarharas took command of the house; their sticks became menacing. Everyone obeyed the false-voiced dictates of these strangers. The regular wedding guests were hustled, with little gentleness, towards the walls of the large kitchen. Through shouts, supposed blows and abuse, a riot of good humour dinned the house. The floor was quickly cleared. And then, with the most dignified manners, exaggerated in drink, the bridegroom and his man stepped an Irish set with the bride and the maid who stood for her. This was the night's main feature. The bridal dancers were now under the eyes of all the parish spies; most extravagant praise was, therefore, let loose as these dancers finished their steps. The boundaries of speech were vaulted to give vent to praise and what couldn't be said by word of mouth was expressed by blows on the bridegroom's shoulders. After a dumb show performed by clarharas for the weddingeers' benefit, a rustic show signifying our initiation into this howling world—the bride and her groom danced with two clarharas-in-charge, who afterwards wished them "their joy."

In turns the leader called, by numbers, his clarharas to take their places for lancers, reels, sets or polkas. Their partners were picked from those young men and women previously relegated to the side walls of the kitchen. Thankful that they were honoured by capering with the clarharas, these subdued guests went full swing into the dance—although their expressed curiosity as to the identity of their mysterious partners often led to violent blows in the thick of the most hilarious steps. And still the identity of many clarharas became known—secretly. Some danced with movements that clearly told of steps picked up on the mountain; others, from the pasture lands, had the sedate capers of evening-dressed magpies.

CHAOTIC UNITY.

It was only after the clarharas' departure that island whiskey once more knit the wedding guests into a chaotic unity. And so merriment flowed until morning. By that time the young bride showed signs of interest in her husband's movements. His preparations for home were followed by her own. Gloom of sorrow and of waning drink steadied the house; and that gloom increased until the married couple left their bedraggled festival in a whirl of God-speeds. And that drive, in the shivering dawn, to a strange home, was the young bride's only honeymoon.

IRISH NATIONAL WAR MEMORIAL.

We have received, in connection with a recent report that the Standing Committee of the Irish National War Memorial has accepted a site on the banks of the Liffey from the Free State Government, a protest signed by some fifty ex-Service men of the Kingstown Branch of the British Legion. The signatories declare that the proposed site is entirely unsuitable for a memorial, and suggest that a site should be provided somewhere between Kingstown and Dublin.

"THE DERRY JOURNAL."

The *Derry Journal*, one of the oldest established newspapers in Ireland, has been enlarged to 16 pages. The old features of the newspaper are retained, while many new ones have been added. A new "Cossar" type C printing machine has been installed at considerable expense. It can print a 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14 or 16-page paper at a very rapid rate. The management of the *Derry Journal* must be congratulated on their initiative.

OLYMPIA THEATRE VARIETY.

MIXTURE OF BURLESQUE AND MUSIC.

The variety programme at the Olympia Theatre this week is a very interesting one. It is an admirable mixture of fun and humour, music and dance, finishing up with a baffling succession of acts which excite the keenest interest. These last are performed by Sirdani, described as a "South African enigma," who, with the aid of a young woman, accomplishes some remarkable feats. Martin Macduff contributes a good vocal act, and his partner Ivy Jermyn is an excellent violinist. Pat Nash and Nellie Anderson, in a comedy burlesque, "The Window Cleaner," gives a lively interlude. Massona and Ronald are clever jugglers. Perhaps the most amusing item was that in which Johnny Fuller acts as Peter the Cat. A person named Taceto makes quite a number of pictures without paint on frames by using pieces of rags of different colours, which he picks from a scrap heap on the stage. Maxwell Carew is a good character comedian. The school scene given by Hilda Max and five youngsters, who sing and dance admirably, was well received.

FIRST-RATE MUSIC FROM 2RN.

MASTERLY PLAYING BY YOUNG VIOLINIST.

By "OBBLIGATO."

For listeners the announcement made by Mr. Heffernan at the Mansion House, Dublin, to the effect that sanction has been sought for an augmenting of the Dublin Station orchestra was of especial interest. One took it to mean that additions might be made soon to the number of instrumentalists who play nightly, at present under the name of the Station Sextet.

It is to be hoped that at the same time the Musical Director will be given a free hand to engage suitable orchestral forces for the Station's operatic and symphony performances.

The relay of the proceedings of the opening ceremony at the Radio Exhibition was followed by some first-rate music in the Dublin studio. Mr Arthur Franks and Miss Dorothy Stokes played Elgar's Sonata in E minor for violin and pianoforte.

Mr. Franks showed in his playing the advantage of his recent further study under an eminent teacher. Indeed, his performance of the exacting music written by Elgar for the violin was masterly. Mr. Franks can be complimented on the fineness of his ear and the constant accuracy of his intonation. At the same time, he may be reminded that greater artists have contrived to keep good intonation without inflicting on listeners the sounds of tuning between every movement. Tuning sometimes is necessary, but it should be managed without an irritating amount of fuss.

The young violinist now has a tone of good volume as well as pleasant warmth, and his bowing is both free and sure.

Miss Stokes put plenty of life into the pianoforte part. Mr. Frank Cowle's vocal solos continued the programme on a high level of artistic performance.

A COMPOSER'S TWIST.

The sound of "God Save the King," played with an abundance of orchestral flourish, heard on the 2RN wave-length, may have surprised some listeners who chanced to tune in to the Dublin Station's lunch-time programme of gramaphone records. The tune is not supposed to be one of the station's favourites.

In knowing what was to come, one could enjoy five minutes of malicious chuckling from the moment when the announcer mentioned Weber's "Jubel" Overture. This overture is associated with a cantata written by Weber to please some German prince, whose favour was desired. As, however, the compliment was not suitably acknowledged, Weber on coming to London later to produce his operas found that George III.'s jubilee was soon due for celebration, whereupon the resourceful composer worked "God Save the King" into the overture, and called the work the "Jubilee" Cantata.

SCHOOL BOADCASTS.

In England the first lesson in the new term of the school broadcasting course was given yesterday. It was a history lesson, and was followed by a French dialogue, given for the benefit of secondary schools.

A FILM OF THE WEEK.

"MOTHER'S MILLIONS" AT THE SAVOY.

The discovery of a new "star" is always an exciting business, and when the new arrival is so well cast as is Miss May Robson in "Mother's Millions," the principal film in the Savoy programme this week, the excitement is not unalloyed with hope that she will prove to be as good as she seems. There is already the suggestion that Miss May Robson is a rival of Marie Dressler, and such she may ultimately become; but, on the evidence of her first film, there is stellar space "between the places where they live." Marie Dressler is primarily a comedy actress, verging always on the farcical for her best effects, while May Robson is a character actress, who is at her best in her calmer moments. That she is an acquisition to the screen, none who see her in "Mother's Millions" will have any difficulty in affirming.

The film is based upon a play of the same title by an American playwright, Howard Barnes, which, in its turn, seems to have been based upon certain aspects of a prominent woman financier who kept all America talking some years ago. Everyone probably has heard of Hettie Green, and in Harriet Breen, playwright and film producer come as close as possible to her actual name. The fictitious Harriet Breen is reputed to be the richest woman in the world, feared and hated wherever people gather to gamble in commodities or funds. She is, herself, in fear that she is hated in her own family circle, and that her two children see in her just a grasping woman devoid of all humanity. She was severe with Tom and Faire—both in their early twenties—because she desired them to appreciate the value of money, to know how to use it properly, and to avoid fortune-hunters. Tom breaks loose, gets into trouble with the police, and to escape the effects of his escapade he gives his possible inheritance as security for a loan from his mother's bitterest enemy and fiercest rival. When his mother hears of the business she promptly disowns him; and, following the best advice, he "goes West" and enters the service of a railway.

TRAINING A SUCCESSOR.

Faire is to be trained to be her mother's heir and successor, but she complicates the position by falling in love with her mother's assistant, David Talbot. When Mrs. Breen discovers this she accuses Talbot of fortune-hunting, and dismisses him from her service. He is at once employed by Harriet's rival, Remington, in the hope that he will reveal her secrets. Remington does not take long to discover that Talbot will reveal nothing, and he is compelled, in his extremity, to fall back on his friendship with the rebellious Tom. Tom conveniently returns after an absence of two years, only to find his mother apparently in the same stern mood as when he left. Meanwhile Mrs. Breen had been "cornering" the grain market against Remington, and when she bustles into one of his secret conferences with his associates she causes consternation. The consternation is increased when she informs Remington that his associates have sold out to her, and that he is completely in her power. Remington taunts her with her alleged power; she can "corner" the market, but her children hate her! She stakes her fortune against her son's loyalty.

Remington brings Tom to his home, and offers another loan on the old terms to enable the young man to secure control of his railway. Needing the money, and anxious to secure it, he will not again offend his mother. So Remington is baulked, and a triumphant Harriet comes from behind the screen, where she had listened to all that passed. In desperation Remington attempts to shoot her, but Tom protects her, and Remington is taken away by the police. How she had used her millions to the advantage of her children is then revealed. Tom's secret marriage is disclosed; Faire's marriage is sanctioned, and a happy ending is secured.

The story is solid enough to give Miss Robson full scope, and she is at her best when dealing with business affairs in her sternest stock-market moods. Like all actors of the older school, she is inclined to over-act at times, but her performance deserves the attention of all who like good work.

ON THE WIRELESS

IRISH FOLK MUSIC IN CLASSIC FORM.

DR ANNIE PATTERSON

On the occasion of Dr. Annie Patterson's broadcast, to take place through 2 RN this evening, the composer has endeavoured to break new ground in adapting Irish folk music, or original themes inspired by it, to classical forms, such as the Sonata, the Prelude and the Fugue. Thus, in her "Cuchullain" Sonata for violin and piano—in which the exploits of the famous Ulster champion named are celebrated—the opening *Largo-Allegro* is in strict sonata form, with customary sections, development and coda. This is followed by the *Andante con moto*, in which two original themes are contrasted with the well-known "Derry Air"; whilst the final movement, including a "Mourners' March" (after the fateful combat between the champions Ferdiad and Cuchullain), is intended to be descriptive of the famous contest, which is so graphically described in the old Gaelic tale of the *Táin Bo Chuailgne* (Cattle Raid of Cooley). This sonata will be interpreted by two gifted young brothers, Gerard and Willie Shanahan. In addition, Mr. Gerard Shanahan, F.T.C.L. (now organist and choirmaster of St. Finbar's, South, Cork), will play two preludes and fugues for the piano by Dr. Patterson. The first of these, entitled "King Cormac," has leading themes taken from the O'Neill Collection, and is designed to show how well a rollicking hornpipe can be developed in fugue form. The second, the last of a set of six such experiments in classical form, is called "The Druid Dairé." In this the prelude is based on the most approved versions of "The Foggy Dew," whilst the fugue—which is complete with exposition, episodes, developments and *stretti*—has for its subject the fine air, "The Yellow Blanket," which Stanford arranged vocally in his stirring lyric, "The March of the Maguire." It is to be hoped that the playing of this number, which will be undertaken by so accomplished a young pianist as Mr. Gerard Shanahan—who has already broadcast more than once—will serve to show that beautiful and symmetric Irish melodies easily and pleasantly lend themselves in development to the higher forms of the composer's art.

OTHER ATTRACTIONS.

DUBLIN.

4.0 to 6.0—No. 1 Army Band, conducted by Lieutenant J. M. Doyle. **8.45**—Signor F. Grossi (violin).

BELFAST.

6.45—Military Band Concert. **9.0**—String Orchestral Concert.

NORTH REGIONAL.

4.0—Evensong from York Minster. **7.0**—The Northern Studio Orchestra. **8.0**—Promenade Concert, conducted by Sir Henry Wood.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMMES.

DUBLIN (2RN)—413 Metres.

1.30-2.0—Time, Weather, and Gramaphone Concert.
4. 0-6. 0—No. 1 Army Band (Conductor, Lieutenant J. M. Doyle).
6. 0—Gramaphone Concert.
6.15—Uair i dTir na n-Og.
7. 0—Gramaphone Concert.
7.15—News.
7.30—Time.
7.30—Sean O'Ruadhain: Leigheacht Ghaedhilge.
7.45—G. A. Pemberton: Talk on the Irish Wireless and Gramaphone Exhibition.
8. 0—Dr. Annie Patterson conducting a Programme of her Compositions.
8.30—Mike Nono: Songs at the Piano.
8.45—Signor F. Grossi (Violin).
9. 0—Station Sextet.
9.10—J. Davenport and T. Browne: Duets for two Flutes.
10.30—Time, News, Weather, and close down.

BELFAST—242.3 Metres (1,238 Kc.).

10.15-10.30—The Daily Service.
2. 5-4.25—Daventry National Programme.
4.30—Light Music.
5.15—The Children's Hour.
5.55—Agricultural Market Prices for Northern Ireland.
6. 0—Daventry National Programme.
6.30—Mr. E. Godfrey Brown: "Next Week's Music."
6.45—A Military Band Concert: The Belfast Wireless Military Band, conducted by Harry Dyson.
8.30—Daventry National Programme.
9. 0—A String Orchestral Concert.
9.40—Daventry National Programme.
9.55—Regional News.
10. 0-12. 0—Daventry National Programme.

NORTH REGIONAL—479.2 Metres (626 Kc.)

10.15—The Daily Service.
10.30-11.5—Daventry National Programme.
12. 0—A Ballad Concert.
1.15—The Manchester Tuesday Mid-day Society's Concert.
2. 0—3. 0—The Midland Studio Orchestra, directed by Frank Cantell.
4. 0—Evensong. Relayed from York Minster, York.
4.45—Daventry National Programme.
5.15—The Children's Hour.
6. 0—First General News.
6.30—Bulletin for Northern English Farmers.
6.35—Reginald Dixon at the Organ.
7. 0—The Northern Studio Orchestra, directed by John Bridge.
7.35—Mr. W. W. Pettigrew: "The Northern Garden."
8. 0—Promenade Concert: The B.B.C. Symphony Orchestra, conducted by Sir Henry Wood.
9.40—Second General News.
10. 0—Variety.
10.30—12. 0—Dance Music.

NATIONAL—1,554.4 Metres (193 Kc.).

10.15—The Daily Service.
10.30—Time, Shipping Forecast.
10.45—"Old English Dishes"—IV. Miss Florence White ("Mary Evelyn"): "Oatcakes of Various Kinds."
11. 0-11. 5—Housewives' News.
12. 0—Edward O'Henry at the Organ.
1. 0—Light Music.
1.50—Herring Fishing Bulletin.
1.55—Experimental Transmission by the Fultograph Process.
2. 5—For the Schools: Nature Study.
2.30—Music.
3.35—French: Monsieur E. M. Stephan—Early Stages in French—II.
4. 5—Unfinished Debate: "That the Talkie is no improvement on the Silent Film."
4.30—The Trocadero Orchestra, directed by Alfred Van Dam.
5.15—The Children's Hour.
6. 0—"The First News."
6.30—The Foundations of Music.
6.50—French Talk: Monsieur E. M. Stephan.
7.20—Vaudeville, with Wee Georgie Wood, in Wee Macgreegor.
8.30—"Literature and Art"—I: "The Hon. Harold Nicolson, C.M.G.: "The New Spirit in Literature: Introduction."
9. 0—The B.B.C. Theatre Orchestra, conducted by Joseph Lewis.
9.40—"The Second News."
9.55—Shipping Forecast
10.10—"The Wreckers" (Ethel Smyth). Relayed from the Royal Opera House, Covent Garden. Act III.—The Smugglers' Cave.
10.40-12. 0—Dance Music.

IN THE NORTHERN CAPITAL.

The Premier's Tour : Lough Neagh : Election Prospects : Music and Drama.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Monday.

The Northern Prime Minister has gone out on one of his tours of inspection which bring him into touch with the people, and on this occasion he paid an informal visit to Rathlin Island. He was accompanied by Mr. H. M. Pollock, M.P., Minister of Finance, and last Saturday they crossed by motor boat to the island, where they received a cordial welcome from the inhabitants. Various works were examined, with a view to improving the conditions of the people, and the visitors had the assistance of the local rector and the parish priest in their investigations.

The Premier took a special interest in the tablet which was erected to commemorate the rescue of the crew of the trawler Shackleton last year, which was an epic of heroic endeavour in life-saving. Subsequently Lord Craigavon and Mr. Pollock journeyed to Londonderry, and were interested in the building of the new bridge over the Foyle, which is to cost about a quarter of a million pounds—promised by the Prime Minister on one of his tours several years ago.

LOUGH NEAGH SETTLEMENT ?

The controversy regarding the fishing on Lough Neagh has attracted considerable attention recently. The Amalgamated Transport and General Workers' Union has championed the cause of the fishermen, many of whom have joined the organisation, while the Fishery Company, which claims the exclusive rights of the fishery, has published the terms and conditions essential to an agreement with the men. It will be recalled that in 1911 the House of Lords decided the dispute regarding the rights to the fishery in favour of the company, and, so long as it keeps within the borders of that ruling, its legal position cannot be questioned.

Efforts have been made, however, from time to time to effect a friendly settlement acceptable to both sides, and in this movement Mr. J. Milne Barbour, M.P., the Northern Minister of Commerce, has taken a deep interest, endeavouring to bring about an agreement, but so far without success. There is now a gleam of hope that something satisfactory may be done. A conference has been arranged to be held between the company and the fishermen at an early date, when the matters in dispute will be discussed. The company has offered permits for fifty boats, and a claim for a larger number will be put forward, and also for a larger number of hooks per boat in line fishing. An amicable arrangement will be welcomed by all interested in the fishery.

ELECTION PROSPECTS.

A good deal of interest is being taken in the general election for the Imperial Parliament, which is foreshadowed for the end of next month. It is not expected that there will be much change in the Ulster representation, but there is a tinge of anxiety amongst the Unionist leaders about what will happen in West Belfast. This is the constituency held by Mr. W. E. D. Allen, whose outspoken comments regarding Mr. Baldwin's guidance of British affairs gave deep offence to the Ulster Unionists. In fact, Mr. Allen, when he joined the Mosely group, was called on to resign his seat, but he refused to do so, stating that he was still prepared to look after the interests of the province from the Unionist point of view.

It is understood that Mr. Allen will again offer himself for election, and he is certain to gain a large percentage of the Labour vote, as he has always been active in the interests of the working-classes, while, of course, he will get support from Independent Unionists. If it is a straight vote between Mr. Allen and an official Unionist, the Nationalist element may turn the scales in favour of the candidate they fancy, should they trouble about going to the polls at all. It is not yet known who the official candidate will be.

NO INCREASE IN BREAD COST.

It is satisfactory to know that for the present, at least, there is to be no increase in the price of bread in Belfast. There have been rumours that the cost might be advanced in consequence of the changed conditions due to the depreciation of British currency, but, according to the views of Mr. J. M. Davison, president of the societies in Northern Ireland federated with the United Co-operative Baking Society—the greatest bakery concern in Great Britain—there will be no such advance. It seems that stocks of flour are plentiful, and it is even hinted that Christmas fare this year will be cheaper than it was in 1930.

A glance at the prices paid for bread in other countries at present may be of interest. The regulated price of the 4lb. white loaf in Great Britain is about 7d., in France it is 8d., in Italy 7d. to 9d., in Germany the 4lb. white loaf costs 1s. 6d., although the 4lb. rye loaf is 8d.; in Sweden the cost is 1s. 6d., in Australia it is 9d., while in the United States it is 1s. 4d., but in Canada, curiously enough, it is 1s. 1d., although the Dominion is the wheat granary of the world.

In comparison with other countries we seem to be well-off in respect of bread, but in many other commodities Ulster is not so well served. Fruit and vegetables are dear, and the cost of coal does not bear comparison with the charges at the pit mouth.

TEACHERS' GRIEVANCES.

The Ulster Branch of the Irish National Teachers' Organisation has drawn attention to the fact that there is a large number of trained teachers in the province who are unable to obtain appointments in their profession, and have, therefore, been compelled to seek jobs in other spheres of endeavour. There are men unemployed who left college two years ago—men who are hopeless of ever being placed in schools—and complaints are made that the number of teachers at present being trained is out of all proportion to the number of positions becoming vacant. It has even been suggested that the training colleges should be closed for at least three years, but this is not likely to find favour with the authorities, although it might provide a temporary solution for the Stranmillis Training College problem.

MUSIC AND THE DRAMA.

Special efforts are being made by the officials of the Belfast Philharmonic Society to make this season's concerts outstanding in the history of the organisation. Both the vocal and instrumental sides will be well represented, and it is hoped that the material prosperity which distinguished last season's activities, in addition to artistic triumphs, will be exceeded. The combined choir and orchestra number about three hundred performers.

We had a visit from the Glasgow Orpheus Choir, under the direction of Sir Hugh Robertson. Its opening concert took place in the Ulster Hall, Belfast, last Saturday night, and there was a repeat performance to-night, each of which attracted a large audience. The choir sings with refinement, a feature of its interpretations being the beautiful soft unaccompanied music.

The Northern Drama League, which has its headquarters in Belfast, will open its first session on the 8th October, when "The London Merchant," or the history of George Barnwell, by George Lillo, will be performed. Lillo was an English dramatist, son of a Dutchman, and was born in London in 1693. The piece is written in prose, but it is not free from passages which are really blank verse. Scoffing critics of the day called it a Newgate tragedy, but it proved extremely popular on the stage. In producing this play the League is maintaining its purpose of staging works seldom heard in the "legitimate" theatre.

Relief of Agriculture.

Wexford County Council's Recommendations.

Proposed Reductions in Salaries.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

WEXFORD, Monday.

WEXFORD County Council had under consideration to-day a draft of the recommendations proposed to be submitted by a deputation to President Cosgrave in regard to the relief of agriculture. The proposals set out that the position of agriculture never was so bad, and was growing worse daily. For everything the farmer had to sell he was receiving a poor price, which was steadily dropping. His overhead charges were considerably higher than pre-war, while his household and other expenditure had decreased only in very small measure. The purchasing power of his biggest customer was greatly reduced, and would further decrease in the near future. Disaster succeeded disaster for the tillage farmer. The only crops for which an increase of price was anticipated was potatoes, but this would mean very little, owing to the poor yield and the uncertainty of the condition of the crop.

"We are bewildered," continues the recommendations. "The world is bursting with money, though it would seem the richer the country the more extended the bread line. If the farmer, especially the tillage farmer, be driven out of business the country perishes."

THE PROPOSALS.

The proposals urged on the Government were the imposition of tariffs on all agricultural products grown in sufficient quantities in the country;

The prohibition of the importation of luxuries until such times as the country could afford them;

Complete de-rating of agricultural lands;

The appointment of a commissioner to deal with food prices, as it was difficult to understand why portion of the extraordinary drop in the prices of his produce had not been passed on to the consumer, the difference between that paid to the farmer and by the consumer running into a hundred per cent.

Something should be done to straighten out the transport muddle. The decision of the Great Southern Railways to close down a number of branch lines would react most unfortunately on agriculture, injuring, if not actually wiping out, prominent fairs and markets. As regards freight charges, which were almost prohibitive, the motto of the railways appeared to be to put on traffic every penny that could be squeezed out of it. Something should be done by the Government to see that the railways were run in the interests of the country.

Miss N. O'Ryan alluded to the necessity for a reduction in national expenditure being stressed in the recommendations.

The secretary explained that on the recommendations the sub-committee were unanimous, but Alderman Corish, T.D., raised some objection to suggestions regarding national expenditure for certain reasons, and that matter was left over for the consideration of the Council.

Alderman Corish said that he did not agree to the prohibition of all luxuries, but to taxing them. If the people wanted luxuries why not tax them, and get revenue for the country.

Colonel Quin—Everything but ladies' lipstick is taxed at the moment.

Mr. M. M. Roche said that curtailment of national expenditure should be the major point in the recommendations.

Mr. J. J. Colloton—If we ask the Government to curtail national expenditure you are cutting down their services, and we are clamouring for more services.

SALARIES CUT.

Mr. Roche moved that a recommendation be embodied demanding a reduction of 20 per cent. in the salaries of Government officials in excess of £750 a year; 10 per cent. in the case of salaries between £500 and £750, and 5 per cent. in the case of salaries from £200 to £500.

Colonel Gibbons suggested that the Government be asked to cut down some of their departments and amalgamate others. The Government were asking them to improve their production, but how could production be increased without capital? The bank rate had been raised to a very high figure, and where could the farmer find money for increased production? He was of the opinion that the Government should set up a committee which would be given a mandate to recommend where savings in national expenditure could be made.

Miss O'Ryan said that there was such a body as a permanent economy committee in existence, which had made recommendations for reduced expenditure, and pointed out where expenditure had been excessive.

The Chairman (Mr. M. Doyle) said that when he was a member of the Dail his party (Farmers) were pressing for such a committee, and one of its strongest advocates was Mr Heffernan, Secretary for the Department of Posts and Telegraphs, and when the latter took up that post in the Government he was appointed Chairman of the committee, but he (the Chairman) never heard much about its findings.

Alderman Corish said that he believed that if the British Government went to the country on the ticket of a tariff, Ireland would benefit materially. It was a great pity to be tinkering with salaries, as the amount which would be saved would be infinitesimal. If salaries were cut the country would be no better off at the end of a year. He did not like introducing a discussion on land annuities, but he believed that negotiations should be carried out between the two Governments, with a view to getting an easement of the question of annuities. War debts had been investigated, and surely it should be possible to have the question of the payment of the annuities reviewed. If he were appointed to act on the deputation, and the recommendations included a reduction of salaries, he would absolutely refuse to go.

LAND ANNUITIES.

Mr. J. Cummins expressed the view that no good would accrue from sending a deputation to the Government. He believed that Ireland was to-day better off than it was on that day fortnight, when they discussed the situation. He would give them a remedy, which he had often urged before, and that was the retention of the land annuities. Why should Northern Ireland be allowed to retain them?

Colonel Gibbon said that the remedy that was required was an urgent one. The proposal to reduce salaries would involve time and could not be dealt with by a stroke of the pen. He did not think Mr. Roche's proposal would make sufficient difference as to help the farmers and the State at the moment. It would be as a drop in the ocean. His proposal would be to set up a national emergency committee, comprised of all parties in the Dail, with powers to make drastic recommendations to the Government in regard to national expenditure.

Alderman Corish said that if Colonel Gibbon's proposal meant drastic economies, he was totally opposed to it. He believed that there was a splendid future for this country if only the Government took advantage of the present situation. He was prepared to admit that the tillage farmers were in a bad way, but he would like to know if the Council would be in favour of a tariff on agricultural machinery. If the farmers purchased Wexford-made agricultural machinery it would have meant £300,000 more for County Wexford last year, a great deal of which would be circulated in Wexford town, and a good market created for farm produce.

On a poll, Mr. Roche's motion to recommend a reduction of salaries was carried by fourteen votes to eight.

Alderman Corish intimated his resignation from the sub-committee.

On a second poll being taken, the draft recommendations were approved by thirteen votes to six.

Lough Neagh Fishing.

Negotiations for Settlement of Dispute.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Monday.

NEGOTIATIONS for a settlement of the dispute between the Lough Neagh fishermen and the Toome Eel Fishery Company, Limited, have been removed.

This statement was made by Mr. R. M'Clung, district organiser, at a meeting of the fishermen which was held in Moortown hall, Ardboe, County Tyrone. He said that, at a conference which had been arranged, the company would meet representative fishermen from the various districts round the lough. A special committee had been formed to frame an application to be forwarded to the company, and it was hoped that a larger number of permits would be allowed than was suggested by the company at the previous negotiations in May. The fishermen were entitled to ask for a larger number of hooks per boat to be used in line fishing. There was a desire on the part of the County Antrim fishermen for permission to market their own fish direct.

Mr. M'Clung said that he did not want to say anything that would make negotiations more difficult, as the trade union had been asked to give an assurance to the company that no intimidation of any kind would be used during the time that negotiations were in progress. He had had a number of discussions on the matter with Captain Ellis and Mr. Herbert Quinn, secretary of the Toome Eel Fishery Company, and both were most emphatic in their assertion that the restrictions which the company were aiming at had as their objective the preservation and improvement of the fishery, so that, in the long run, those who got their livelihood on Lough Neagh would reap the benefit.

They were as much, and, perhaps, more, concerned in the preservation of the fishery as the company, and they hoped that, while they on their part were prepared to observe the truce, the bailiffs and the bailiffs' employees would also observe the truce, and not hamper or retard the activities of the fishermen, provided that they were fishing in a perfectly lawful manner.

The meeting afterwards went into committee to appoint representative fishermen to attend the conference, which will be held in Belfast at an early date.

Cashel Creamery Dispute.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

CASHEL, Monday.

A meeting of milk suppliers from Cashel, Grange and Rosegreen was held in the City Hall, Cashel, to consider the position in regard to the handing over of these creameries to an outside society. The keys of the hall could not be found, and the lock had to be forced.

Mr. Patrick Looby, Chairman of Cashel Urban District Council, who presided, said that the terms, as announced by Right Rev. Dean Ryan, of the proposed amalgamation with the Centenary Co-operative Dairy Society provided a good settlement for the suppliers. The Centenary Society was agreeable to give equal representation on the Committee of Management. However, he would never consent to their creameries amalgamating with Ballyduff.

Mr. A. Moloney, Rosegreen, said that ninety per cent. of the Rosegreen suppliers would not send their milk to Rosegreen Creamery if it were amalgamated with the Centenary Society.

Mr. A. Fogarty, T.D., remarked that, settlement or no settlement, he would not be a party to the proposed amalgamation.

A resolution was passed unanimously disagreeing with the action of the Cashel and Rosegreen Milk Suppliers' Committee, and declaring against amalgamation with the Centenary Society.

The death occurred at Welwyn on Sunday of Mr. William Brown, J.P., aged 70, while attending a conference of Young Friends. Mr. Brown was one of the most active Quakers in the West of England, and for many years was a veterinary surgeon at Wiveliscombe, Somerset, and was a Justice of the Peace for that county.

Galway's Welcome.

Lord Mayor of Manchester's Thanks.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT

GALWAY, Monday.

IN the early hours of this morning a deputation from Galway Urban Council and a Citizens' Committee waited upon the Lord Mayor of Manchester, Alderman Titt, to give him a civic welcome on behalf of the people of Galway, and to wish him a successful visit to America, where he is going in the interests of Anglo-American trade.

Alderman Titt, accompanied by the Lady Mayoress, the Town Clerk of Manchester, and other municipal officials, arrived in Galway Harbour on the Baltic shortly before midnight, and the tender with the deputation immediately put out to meet him. The deputation was conducted to the Lord Mayor's compartments by Mr. F. E. Warbreck Howell, Town Clerk of Manchester, accompanied by Commander E. Davis, Captain of the liner, and were introduced by Mr. J. Murray, representative of the White Star Line. When the deputation entered the corridor of the Lord Mayor's compartments the ship's band played an Irish reel.

In extending the welcome to the Lord Mayor, Mr. J. S. Young, Vice-Chairman, Galway County Council, said that he had great pleasure in extending a welcome on behalf of the Galway Council, and on behalf of the citizens of Galway, whom they represented, to the Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress. Galway was doing a great trade with Liverpool, Manchester and other English cities, and he hoped that as time went on, and conditions improved in England, the trade of Galway also would increase. He wished the Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress, and the other officials, a pleasant trip, and he hoped that they would carry away with them pleasant memories of their first visit to Galway Bay.

Mr. Sammon hoped that the present depression, which was being felt all over the world, would soon cease, and that a flourishing commercial trade would soon be witnessed between Manchester and Galway.

The Lord Mayor thanked the deputation on his own behalf, and on behalf of the people of Manchester, for coming there to welcome him in the name of the citizens of Galway. He felt exceedingly proud at being given this welcome by the people of Galway, and he knew that the citizens of Manchester would feel equally proud, and that they would appreciate in no small way the honour done them. On behalf of the citizens of Manchester, he wished Galway an era of prosperity, and hoped that their visit to Galway Bay would result in an influx of increased trade between Galway and Manchester.

The toast of "Galway" was proposed by the Lord Mayor, and duly honoured.

The Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress accompanied the deputation to the tender.

Pig Statistics.

Number of pigs bought for curing by Irish bacon curers and number of live pigs exported from Ireland:—

Week ended	Pigs bought alive and dead for curing in Saorstat Eireann.	Northern Ireland.	Total bought for curing.
September 24, 1931.	19,132	8,334	27,466
September 17, 1931.	16,553	10,415	26,968
September 10, 1931.	17,910	7,123	25,033
September 25, 1930.	14,105	8,834	22,939
September 26, 1929	13,857	9,240	23,097
Thirty-eight weeks ended (period from beginning of year to date).			
September 24, 1931	487,280	266,827	754,107
September 25, 1930.	474,737	256,454	731,191
September 26, 1929.	564,082	241,050	805,132

Week ended	Number of live pigs exported through ports in Saorstat Eireann.	Northern Ireland.	Total purchased and exported
September 24, 1931.	7,313	343	35,122
September 17, 1931.	9,051	392	36,411
September 10, 1931.	10,516	563	36,112
September 25, 1930.	9,324	377	32,640
September 26, 1929.	3,554	377	27,028
Thirty-eight weeks ended (period from beginning of year to date).			
September 24, 1931.	247,768	18,777	1,020,652
September 25, 1930.	201,460	17,408	950,066
September 26, 1929	150,550	14,987	970,669

Prison for Callous Father.

Children Crying With Hunger.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

PORTADOWN, Monday.

AT Portadown Petty Sessions to-day—Mr. George McElroy, R.M., presiding—Inspector Kells, National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, prosecuted Daniel Livingston, a general dealer, residing in River lane, for neglecting his children.

Livingston had been before the Court on a previous occasion, when the magistrates gave him a chance of reforming.

The Inspector now stated, in evidence, that defendant had gone from bad to worse. He was a drunkard and a gambler. When the wife was confined he took £2 she had saved and spent it on drink and gambling, and witness on visiting the house found the children crying with hunger. Defendant was an incorrigible drinker and gambler. The wife was a hard-working woman in the house, but was not able to earn any money. The St. Vincent de Paul Society had been looking after the children.

The magistrate said that this was an outrageous case. Defendant was one of those fellows who married and brought children into the world, but did not look after them. That kind of individual was a pest to society. He gave him two months' imprisonment, with hard labour, to cure him. The children would have to be sent to the workhouse, but they would be better there than where they were.

A SECOND CASE.

The same complainant summoned Robert Henry Ritchie and his wife, Rachael Ritchie, Charles street, for neglecting their six children.

Inspector Kells said that this was a very bad case on the part of both defendants. The husband was a gambler and a drinker. The house was in a very filthy state. The husband blamed the wife.

Mr. D. Rock, J.P., remarked that the husband was an industrious man.

The magistrate said that it was an outrageous thing that a labourer earning 38s. a week should spend it in gambling and leave his family to starve. If he did not mend his ways he would go to jail. The wife also would be sent to prison if she did not clean the house.

National Teachers' Grievances.

Overcrowded Programme.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

TULLAMORE, Monday.

AT at public meeting of King's County national teachers, which was held at Tullamore, Mr. John O'Neill, Birr (County Chairman), presiding, resolutions were passed expressing disappointment at the failure of the Free State Government to make arrangements for keeping in a solvent condition the State side of the national teachers' pension fund, and calling on the Central Executive Council to press for an early settlement and for pensions for junior assistant mistresses and lay assistants in convent and monastery schools; expressing the opinion that the present national school programme was overloaded to an extent which rendered impossible the revival of the national language, and denied to pupils that training in methods of acquiring knowledge which should be an important feature of primary school work; and directing attention to the unsuitable accommodation and the insanitary conditions in a number of national schools.

The Chairman said that the drawbacks to a too extensive programme, especially when the subjects were not correlated, was that it did not allow the teachers time to train children in methods of acquiring knowledge for themselves, that it led to hustle and rush, and disturbed the atmosphere of firm calmness in which teaching should be carried on; that it made it difficult for the teacher to keep the various subjects and branches of subjects in their proper perspective by subordinating non-fundamental to cardinal subjects; that it taxed unduly the memory of the child, and did not allow time for assimilation of ideas. In many cases the condition of the school building intensified the teacher's difficulty, for many of the buildings were antiquated, badly constructed, badly lighted, and had insufficient accommodation. The building, renovation and upkeep of the schools should be made a State charge.

TEACHING OF IRISH.

Mr. Sean Murphy, Birr, said that the resolution before them showed that the teachers of Offaly clearly regarded the revival of the Irish language as being of primary importance. There was a general and well founded complaint that the present programme was too enlarged to be efficiently taught in most schools. The programme was too extensive to do justice to either Irish or English, or, indeed, to any of the other subjects on the curriculum. If the Irish language was to be revived there must be intensive instruction of it in the schools.

Mr. Frayne (Edenderry) said that he would like to know what subject was to be dropped in order that there would be more time for Irish.

Mr. T. Frisby said that, as far as they knew, the Government was doing nothing towards a settlement of the pensions question. In January, 1930, the Ministers for Finance and Education promised that definite proposals would be laid before them for consideration on receipt of a supplementary report from the Government actuary. That report was made in the following March, but the definite proposals for settlement of the question had not yet been put forward.

The new inspection system had been in operation for four years, and had not achieved any of the reforms which the Inspection Committee had anticipated, because it was not operated in the spirit in which it was conceived by the Inspection Commission.

SCHOOL LEAVING AGE.

The speaker referred to children leaving school when they had reached the age of fourteen years. Ninety per cent. of them had nothing to do, and they would be found at every street corner trying to forget what they learned at school, and acquiring tastes and habits that unfitted them for decent citizenship. The Minister had power to compel attendance at school up to sixteen years, and with the exception of those who could satisfy the enforcing authority that they were properly employed. Children should be compelled to go to school until they were sixteen.

Mr. M. Leyden said that the divisional inspectors' reports were sorry reading for the teachers. He found in the case of every subject on the programme the comment:—"This subject is very poorly taught," and that the "teacher was not making a sufficient effort." Had reports of that kind been made in connection with any other service—that they were not doing their duty? The amount of solid work the teachers had done, and were doing, was overlooked, and these people had been magnifying petty faults into huge mountains.

Limerick Carnival.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

LIMERICK, Monday.

The Limerick Industrial Exhibition was visited by people from Dublin, Cork, and other parts of the country to-day, and all were greatly interested in the exhibits on view, as well as the window displays in the city business houses. During the Carnival there will be football, handball and hurling matches, and social functions also have been arranged. The aeroplane flights over the city are being availed of by numerous people.

Control of Imports.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Monday.

A deputation of the Ulster Farmers' Union is at present in London to interview leading members of the new National Government on the subject of the control of imports. The deputation consists of Mr. W. W. B. Keers, President of the Union; Mr. W. Jackson, Vice-President; and Mr. D. Wright, J.P., Secretary. It has been arranged that the Ulster deputation, with representatives of the Scottish Farmers' Union, also will interview the Parliamentary Agricultural Committee.

IRISH NEWS IN BRIEF.

Toll of the Road in the North : Returned American's Sad End : Wexford Bazaar : Potato Blight in County Cork : The Rotary Conference.

RETURNING from a visit to his wife, to whom he had been married only one year, William Lannin, Kill, County Waterford, a returned American, met with a sad end. Entering his house at Kill, after stepping from his motor car, he slipped and fell on the concrete floor, fracturing his skull He died within an hour.

Large crowds visited the shrine of St. Finbarr at Gougane Barra, County Cork, last Saturday, in honour of the saint's festival.

Thomas Coghlan, employed by Mr. Laurence O'Neill, Bracknagh, King's County, was bitten by a horse on Saturday evening, the first joint of his thumb being taken off.

The Most Rev. Dr. Cohalan, Bishop of Cork, opened a carnival at the Blackrock National Schools in aid of the Penny Lunch and Schools' Improvement Fund.

At Ballygar District Court, Patrick Carr, of Rockwood, Roscommon, was, at the suit of the Galway County Council, sentenced to three months' imprisonment for failing to pay his rates.

There was a large supply of pigs at Roscommon Fair yesterday. There was a bad trade in light pigs at 43s. per cwt. Lean boars were sold at 48s. a cwt. Heavy pigs were in good demand at 50s. a cwt. These prices show an increase of 10s. per cwt. over recent fairs.

At the half-yearly meeting of the Munster Agricultural Society it was stated that record receipts had been taken for the Cork Summer Show this year, the profit being £1,447, as compared with £1,200 in 1930. Receipts on the general account, however, were less by £298.

District Inspector Anderson informed the Portadown magistrates at the Petty Sessions yesterday that the number of motor accidents in Northern Ireland had nearly doubled since this time last year, and the police were being asked what they were doing to put a stop to dangerous driving.

Reports of the potato crop received from the Berehaven area show that it is a partial failure this season, and that the number of potatoes will be less than half what they were last year. This is attributed to the early appearance of the blight and the subsequent wet weather.

The mid-Antrim Coroner conducted two inquests yesterday. A verdict of "accidental death" was returned at the inquest on the body of Catherine Pyper (63), of Ahoghill, who died on Sunday after being knocked down by a push bicycle. "Death from enlarged, or athletic, heart," was the verdict returned at an inquest on the body of Robert Spence, of Cullybackey, who died suddenly in a Ballymena public-house on Saturday night. He was for twenty years a well-known track and road cyclist, and won hundreds of prizes.

James Cummins, Derrynagh, was, at Tullamore Court, fined 40s. and 24s. costs for keeping an unlicensed stallion.

The Commissioners of Public Works intend to erect headstones over the graves of soldiers who fell in the Great War and who are buried in Youghal Cemetery.

The Rev. Brother Cassian, who for the past six years was Principal of the Presentation Brothers' Commercial School at Birr, has been transferred to Presentation College, Reading.

At the weekly luncheon meeting of the Belfast Rotary Club yesterday, the President (Rotarian A. T. Robinson), referring to the conference in Dublin last week, said that he frankly considered it one of the best he ever had the pleasure of attending, both on the business and the social side.

For allowing an omnibus, of which he had charge, to become overcrowded, John Allen, of Limerick, was fined 20s. by District Justice Gleeson at Ennis. Guard Keegan, who prosecuted, said that there were fifty-one passengers in the 'bus, which had seating accommodation for thirty-five only.

A three-day bazaar, the proceeds of which will go to the Wexford Convent of Perpetual Adoration Building Fund, was opened in the Bull Ring, Wexford, by the Rev. John Sinnott, Adm., president of the bazaar committee. There was a very large attendance at the opening ceremony.

At Cork District Court yesterday Giovanni Carrarino, an Italian, was fined 10s. and costs for illegally importing two live pigs. Defendant, who spoke English imperfectly, admitted having the animals on board his ship. He said that it was his first visit to Cork, and he was unaware that he had broken the law.

The Clare Board of Health has refused to add 3½ years for pension purposes to the actual service of Nurse Frost, senior tuberculosis nurse at the Central Dispensary, Ennis, who recently resigned. According to the Secretary of the Board, her actual service amounted to 16½ years, her salary and emoluments to £200 per annum, and, if the Board made her service twenty years she would be entitled to a pension of £66 13s. 4d. On her actual service the amount would be about £53 10s. The Board directed that the pension be calculated on actual service.

The disturbances which took place at Portadown last month had an echo at the Petty Sessions yesterday, when James Reilly, Hill st., Gilford, was charged with riotous behaviour on August 15th. Constable Beattie said that on that night the defendant was shouting: "Up the rebels" on the Gilford road, and later on, when witness was on duty, a crowd gathered round the defendant. The defendant said that he had not tasted drink for twelve years, and he was very sorry for what he had done on that night. The magistrates imposed a penalty of 20s., with 6s. 6d. costs.

Union Jack Pulled Down and Burned.

Echo of Strabane Affair.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

STRABANE, Monday.

THERE was a sequel at Strabane Petty Sessions to-day to an incident which occurred at Carricklee, Strabane, on the evening of August 12th, when a Union Jack was taken from a tree and burned on the roadway.

District-Inspector Walshe charged the following with committing an offence calculated to lead to a breach of the peace:—Anthony Gallagher, Charles Kelly, Francis Kelly, William Kelly, James Kelly, all of Backtown; Edward M'Garrigle, Hugh Boyle, John Kelly, and Edward Hegarty, all of Carricklee.

District-Inspector Walshe said that on August 12th a Union Jack was suspended at Carricklee Corner, and on that evening it was pulled down, burned and insulted. They all knew that August 12th was an important date, and had been commemorated from time immemorial in those parts of the country. He referred to the fact that the flag had been taken down by a boy who had been prompted to do so.

Two young men were returning from an Orange demonstration, and when they arrived at the corner where the flag had been flown earlier in the day a crowd of men armed with sticks had assembled and across the road the words "Up Dublin" and "Up Castlefin" had been put up with the object of provoking a breach of the peace. The latter words referred to an unfortunate trouble which had occurred on the other side of the Border three weeks previously and had caused serious disturbances in Lisburn, Portadown and Armagh.

DEMONSTRATORS.

There was a big number of demonstrators at Omagh and the object of these people was to incite the Orangemen returning from the celebrations. He did not know of anything more calculated to cause an outbreak of disorder.

Mr. R. S. Magee (for defendants) suggested that, in the interests of the peace of the district, that the summonses be adjourned for six months. So far as his clients were concerned, he gave an undertaking that they would not again interfere with anyone putting up bunting. He admitted that all the defendants were assembled at the place, and also that they were all Roman Catholics. He would pay for the Union Jack, which was taken down by one of the boys who was acting as caddy at the golf course.

Mr. John Perry, J.P., said that when there was a display of colours people should be prepared to pass on the other side. Sometimes he passed under a green flag, and did so as quietly as possible. There was no reason why other people could not do the same.

The magistrates adjourned all the cases for six months.

Fishing Prosecution.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Monday.

Mr. Andrew King, Inspector of Fisheries, summoned James M'Conaghy, Derrymore, at Crumlin (Country Antrim) Petty Sessions to-day, for, on August 28th, entering certain fisheries on Lough Neagh for the purpose of killing and taking eels without being authorised by the lessee or occupier. He was also charged with, on the same date, refusing to stop and allow his boat to be searched.

Mr. Alfred King, bailiff, stated that on the date in question defendant and another man were in a boat on Lough Neagh, and, when called upon to halt, they refused. Witness and Constable Dickson followed them to the shore, where they found the defendant. The other man ran away. The box with nets (produced) was thrown into the water by M'Conaghy.

Constable Dickson said that the other man went to some cottages about half a mile from the lough shore, and came back with fourteen or fifteen men and some women. They seemed to be armed with sticks. When witness had finished with M'Conaghy the latter shouted—"Come back and take your time." Witness and King cleared off to avoid any trouble.

Inspector Andrew King said that heretofore they had been lenient with the fishermen, but it had no effect. He would ask the R.M. to impose a substantial fine in those cases.

The defendant said that he was innocent of the charge.

There were previous prosecutions against the defendant, for which he was fined, and on one occasion he was bound to the peace.

The R.M. (Mr. P. S. Bell) said that the defendant would have to pay a fine of 20s. and costs in each case.

"You had better be careful," said Mr. Bell, "for you are under a rule of bail, and you had better not break it."

Armed Robbery Charge.

Two Clare Men Accused.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

ENNIS, Monday.

BEFORE District Justice Gleeson, at Ennis District Court, two young men, Thomas Breen, of Derryshane, and Martin Calligan, of Kilmurry-McMahon, were charged in custody, with robbing while armed with a shot gun a soldier of the Free State Army, Edward McInerney, Kilmurry-McMahon, of the following articles:—Cap, great-coat, tunic, cane, woollen gloves, and one Army pay book, the property of the Minister for Defence, all value for £3. The alleged offence took place on September 23, when McInerney was home on holidays.

Detective Sergeant Conroy gave evidence that when arrested, charged and cautioned, Breen declined to make any statement. Calligan said that he had nothing to say except that he had been at home at 9 p.m. "on that night." As inquiries were not completed, witness applied for a remand for one week.

The District Justice inquired was there any objection to bail, and Mr. Lynch, State Solicitor, stated that his instructions were to oppose bail and apply for a remand in custody.

Mr. F. F. Moloney, solicitor for the accused men, said that no evidence had been tendered against the defendants, and asked that they be admitted to bail.

The Justice said that it was a serious charge, and the State was entitled to one remand in custody. He would remand in custody for one week, and the next Court day, if it arose, he would consider the question of bail.

Coming General Election.

Need of Organisation.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

WATERFORD, Monday.

A public meeting, under the auspices of Cumann na nGaedheal, was addressed by Mr. W. G. Connolly, central organiser; Dr. White, T.D., and other speakers, at Dunmore East. Dr. White said that Dunmore always had come up to expectations, and the response made by it at the last election reflected great credit on the town and district. Unfortunately, such satisfactory conditions did not prevail in other districts. Lack of interest could be observed in some places, which betokened absence of organisation. Inattention to such a vital matter as organisation could only have one result: In a keenly contested election, no matter how favourable the conditions might be, no matter how compelling the claim of the candidate, no matter how high his worth, it was vitally essential to have good organisation to ensure success.

That a general election was approaching was a matter of common knowledge to all who knew the period of life allotted to the present Dail. The work of active organisation should be set on foot immediately.

The present Government had been made the object of much criticism, more or less of an adverse character, sometimes honest, but, perhaps, mistaken; but most of it wilfully and blatantly dishonest. The present Government was the only one capable of administering the affairs of the nation.

A strong branch was formed.

Illegal Drilling.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Monday.

The Royal Ulster Constabulary yesterday evening discovered thirteen men drilling in a field at Breda, about a mile from Belfast. They arrested the leaders—two brothers. The other eleven were allowed to proceed to their homes, but the two brothers were brought to the Central Police Station. It is understood that detention orders will be applied for against them.

Belfast Bread Prices.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Monday.

There is to be no immediate increase in the price of bread in Belfast. This decision was announced by the president of the United Co-operative Baking Society. Contrasting how well Britain fared compared with other countries, he pointed out that in Britain the regulated price of the 4lb. white loaf was round about 7d.; in France it was 8d., in Italy 7d. to 9d.; in Germany the 4lb. white loaf cost 1s. 6d., although the 4lb. rye loaf was sold at 8d.; in Sweden it was 1s. 6d., in Australia 9d., in the United States 1s. 4d., and in Canada, the wheat granary of the world, the 4lb. white loaf was 1s. 1d.

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The Centre Party.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

CORK, Monday.

At a meeting of the Cork Farmers' Union, the Secretary, Mr. E. J. Cussen, read a letter which he had received from the Secretary of the Munster Farmers' Association. The letter outlined the policy of the National Centre Party, and asked for delegates to the Centre Party's convention in Dublin

Explaining why delegates had not been sent, Mr. Cussen said that he and another member, Mr. Forde, had attended the meeting of the Munster Farmers' Association in Limerick, and had found that they could not usefully intervene on behalf of the Cork Farmers' Union, as the general course of the discussion was somewhat fatuous. In the circumstances, he thought that it would be unnecessary to call a special meeting to appoint delegates.

Other members supported Mr. Cussen's action.

Presentation to Rector.

The parishioners of Dunany and Dunleer waited on their rector, the Rev. Charles E. French, at Clonmore Rectory, to make a presentation to him and express their regret at his departure. The address was read by Mr. Henry Sloan, Athclare Castle, and the presentation was made by Miss Bellingham, of Dunany House. The presentation consisted of a case of bank notes.

Last Saturday the Cork Lifeboat Committee, under the leadership of Mr. H. P. Donegan, carried through the most successful flag-day ever organised for the Institution, which, with an anonymous donation of £5 10s., realised £280 in one day. Cork this year, with the subscriptions, dance, and cinema collection, will be able to contribute £450 towards the cost of the upkeep of the four motor lifeboats on the County Cork coast.

Fat Cattle Sale.

Messrs. Hartigan and Co., auctioneers, Limerick, held a special sale at their markets, Mulgrave street, Limerick, last Friday, of the first draft of the late Mr. T. A. Hartigan's (Crean House, Meanus, Bruff) fat cattle. Twenty-four three-year-old bullocks, in splendid condition, were all readily disposed of at prices ranging from £18 to £22 10s., which averaged £19 8s. each. There was a very large attendance, keen competition, and the prices were considered very satisfactory.

Death of Mr. B. Hamill.

DUNDALK, Monday.

The death took place at his residence in Dundalk yesterday of Mr. Bernard Hamill, one of the best-known public men in Ireland. For forty years Mr. Hamill had been connected with public boards in Louth. He was Chairman of the Dundalk Urban Council, and Dundalk Harbour Board, and President of the Catholic Young Men's Society and the Men's Confraternity.

At the meeting of the Louth County Council to-day a resolution of regret was passed on the motion of the Chairman (Mr. James T. McGee). Mr. James McCarthy, the oldest remaining member of the Council, journeyed specially from Drogheda to pay tribute to his old colleague.

Galway Harbour.

It was learned yesterday that the application of the Galway Harbour Board for Government assistance in the development of the Galway Harbour has been under consideration by the Free State Government. Certain members of the Executive are, it is stated, disposed to regard the application with a certain amount of favour, but it is unlikely that the full claim put forward recently will be granted. No definite decision has yet been taken on the matter.

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The Irish Times.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 1931.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

Mr. M. P. Heffernan, Parliamentary Secretary to the Free State Department of Posts and Telegraphs, announced, at the opening of the Wireless and Gramaphone Exhibition in Dublin last night, that it was hoped shortly to obtain sanction to begin the erection of a new high-power wireless station in the Free State.—(Page 3.)

A plea for fair play for the railways in the Free State as regards road traffic was made by Mr. M. Cassin at yesterday's meeting of the Waterford Chamber of Commerce.—(Page 8.)

At midnight on Sunday three masked men, two of whom were armed, visited the house of Thomas Mullen, at Dervor, County Meath, and struck Mullen on the head with a rifle, injuring him severely. Other occupants of the house disarmed the rifleman, and the three raiders ran away.—(Page 8.)

In view of the possibility of a general election in Great Britain and Northern Ireland for the Parliament at Westminster, the Northern Parliament is to proceed with the business of the autumn session immediately.—(Page 8.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

The King and Queen, the Duke of Gloucester and Prince George left Ballater for London last evening shortly before six o'clock.—(Page 6.)

The latest development in the financial situation is that Denmark has followed Norway and Sweden and abandoned the gold standard. The London Stock Exchange has issued an order that, "unless otherwise arranged, no delivery of securities shall take place on Saturdays." The general tendency of the exchanges and the Stock Markets yesterday was towards stability.—(Page 7.)

The Cabinet discussed the question of a general election at a meeting last evening, but a final decision has yet to be taken.—(Page 7.)

The attempt on the world air speed "record" was postponed yesterday owing to a problem connected with the fuelling. It is anticipated that the difficulty will be overcome by the experts.—(Page 2.)

ABROAD.

Agreement as to the form of the resolution to bring about a year's truce in armaments was reached last night at Geneva.—(Page 13.)

A new era of Franco-German amity is expected to follow the official visit of the French Ministers to Berlin.—(Page 8.)

SPORTING.

At Hamilton Park yesterday Spring Blossom won the Ross Welter Handicap.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL.

The Irish banks' rate was yesterday raised from 5½ per cent. to 6½ per cent.—(Page 7.)

London Stock Markets were firmer in most sections, but dealings were restricted. There was no "street" market.—(Page 12.)

In Lombard street conditions were comfortable. Overnight loans were made at 5 per cent. down to 4½ per cent. The fine rate for bills was 5⅜ per cent.—(Page 12.)

In Dublin the market was generally strong. Third Loan and some British Funds were weak.—(Page 12.)

France and Germany.

The visit of M. Laval, the French Premier, and M. Briand to Berlin, where President Hindenburg received them yesterday, is only the first step of a grand project which will know its next stage when M. Laval reaches Washington in a few weeks. His immediate purpose in Berlin is to establish a Franco-German Economic Commission, and its general framework already has been determined. Such major subjects as reparations will be outside its orbit, and will be postponed till the forthcoming discussions at Washington, out of deference to the United States' position as chief creditor. The new Commission's task, in effect, will be to reduce harmful competition, especially in the case of navigation companies relying on State subsidies, and to devise some method—probably "holding companies"—by which French capital can be used to mutual advantage. No doubt this latter scheme, when Germany recovers, will be extended to embrace German capital. "The example which Germany and France can give in this respect," said M. Laval on Sunday night, "is certainly of a kind to exercise the most favourable influence." M. Laval was right, but the permanence of "confiding" relations between the two countries, upon which the French Premier based his concept, scarcely falls within the calculations of practical politics. While Paris gave M. Laval and M. Briand an enthusiastic send-off, Berlin's welcome, though generally courteous, was a little patchy. Some Hitlerites actually "scowled." Moreover, it can be argued that M. Laval's presence in Berlin is due primarily to a lack of confidence in France's future. Yet anything accomplished at Berlin, which, however indirectly, leads to the sweeping away of reparations, will be a vast boon to an overtaxed world.

M. Laval, agreeably to his professions of cordial helpfulness, has advanced six reasons why France is prosperous to-day, and to some of these Britain might pay a useful heed. "Sensible" protection, designed to safeguard farmer and manufacturer alike, is most relevant, though the particular example quoted by the French Premier—the high price of wheat—may not make a great appeal in reviving Lancashire. If, however, the protection were sensible, there would be little to fear from high food prices; for the incidence of the tariffs would be regulated so that the cost of living never raised the cost of production above a competitive level. Mr. Snowden's budget may be said to have performed the service for Britain which M. Poincaré's "economy" axe did for France in 1926, but much can be learned from France's stern control of immigration and repatriations—a policy of which England ever has been strangely suspicious. The maintenance of an armed force, "sufficient to ensure the respect of frontiers and neighbours," is a truly French touch; for the moment economy in England is more necessary than sabre-rattling. France's control of investment markets and foreign loans, which now need the sanction of the Government, deserves the attention of British financial experts; but it is a highly controversial issue. As a result, said M. Laval, France has accumulated the second largest hoard of gold in the world. His words are true, but does she really cherish it? So immobile has this hoard become that a French Prime Minister, in person, is compelled to tour the globe, seeking an outlet for it. The French Premier and M. Briand return to Paris to-day, and can congratulate themselves upon a successful start to their journeyings, but the next lap will be M. Laval's real test; for while reparations remain little that is truly valuable can be achieved for the world.

The Irish Drama.

In the course of the present week the Abbey Theatre players will begin a tour of the United States and Canada. Although some of the players already are well known in America, this will be the first visit of an Abbey Company since 1913, and many of the selected plays will be produced for the first time before American audiences. A tour in these circumstances opens up very interesting possibilities of fresh criticism and judgment of the Abbey's work. Irish audiences find in certain plays qualities which custom cannot stale, and the success of their production in Dublin is never in doubt. Their reception by a nation that speaks what is virtually another language, and whose outlook is foreign, will help us to decide whether or not contemporary Irish drama possesses that broad appeal without which great art cannot exist. Literary history teaches us the folly of a premature ruling in matters of art, but it is safe to say that the first quarter of the twentieth century has produced little dramatic work of an obviously enduring quality. Yet, while the Abbey plays will not overwhelm American critics by sheer weight of genius, they will prove that, at a time when the strains are forced and the notes few, the Abbey has won for itself an important place in the European theatre. Ireland has come to recognise the merits of her own drama, the State has not refused aid to an enterprise of national importance, and the little theatre flourishes. The plays which have been chosen for America cover the whole period of the Abbey's activities, from the poetic drama of its first manner to the flight from the "peasant play" towards a romantic realism.

If dramatic composition is at a comparatively low ebb at present, we can set against it a marked renaissance in dramatic performance. A new theatre has been established in Dublin. Little companies of amateur actors have sprung up all over the country, and the fact that these can everywhere attract eager audiences indicates that Ireland has preserved a genuine taste for the legitimate stage in the face of the cinema's invasion. The decay of taste in the theatrical audience has been for some years a subject of mourning to students of the drama. We learn frequently that performances of certain plays which in their intention are of an extremely moving nature are ruined by the almost hysterical merriment that greets their lighter passages. This lack of intelligence is exemplified by the reception accorded in London to those plays of the troubled times which have come to be among the most popular in the Abbey stock. By most of the audience—and by some critics who should have known better—they were hailed, inexplicably, as typical comedies of Irish low life. The fault is gross, but it does not rest altogether with the playgoers. They are to blame for lack of proportion in their welcome of certain favourite actors—a cruel kindness which eventually must lead their idols to adopt those idiosyncrasies that "show a most pitiful ambition in the fool that uses them"—but some of the responsibility must be laid to the account of the realist playwrights, who allow a juxtaposition of pathos and comedy that Shakespeare never used. Let it be enough that the drama flourishes in Ireland. The process of time will build up a more exalted standard of taste in which emotion in the theatre will be controlled by the discrimination of true intellectual enjoyment.

Cotton Revives.

Good news from Lancashire is good news, indeed. While it may, or may not, be true that what Manchester thinks to-day London will think to-morrow, it scarcely can be denied that prosperity in Lancashire is reflected promptly throughout Great Britain and Ireland. Now at last there are signs of a revival in the cotton industry. The suspension of the gold standard has caused a quick rise in the price of silver, and the Shanghai tael exchange has improved accordingly. Lancashire's Far Eastern customers thus can buy her goods once more, and a significant and welcome feature of the recent improvement is the steady demand for piece goods. Already in one district alone unemployment has fallen by over seven thousand. Sales of the raw commodity are not less gratifying; for nearly 100,000 bales were sold in Liverpool during the three days that ended last Friday. The period of depression has been so long that there may be a tendency to hail any straw of comfort, but it really seems that better times are ahead. On the other hand, many obstacles remain in the path of Lancashire's progress. Political boycotts and Japanese competition still hamper her Indian sales, and hitherto that least calculable of all currencies—the rupee—has moved a little against sterling. Nevertheless, the manner in which the rupee soared on a previous occasion, before Britain returned to the gold standard in 1925, may be remembered; and, though such violent gymnastics, however pleasant to the Indian civil servant on leave, are not desirable again, some upward movement might provide an agreeable antidote to *swarajist* abstention from the purchase of British goods. Every effort must be made to press home the new advantage; for Lancashire no longer enjoys the flying start which was hers before she sold the means of manufacture to those who bought her products. Many mills in the East are prepared to resume work at high pressure as soon as there is any reasonable prospect of a market.

Babel at Geneva.

The League of Nations reflects the financial condition of its member States; in other words, it is "hard up." Last year ten members failed to pay their subscriptions to Geneva, and in the present year the number has risen to fourteen—all non-European States. They are in arrears to a total amount of £560,000. Moreover, the League has not cut its coat according to its cloth. Its salary list is very large; it has launched a grandiose building programme; and now it finds that the estimated cost of its new palace at Geneva—£1,120,000—will be exceeded by some £320,000. These disappointments and mistakes may be forgiven, perhaps, to an organisation whose hopes consistently outstrip its achievement; but another trouble has arisen which must shock such idealism as still lingers in our battered world. *Quis custodiet custodes ipsos?* International discord rages in the temple of international harmony, and Geneva's new Palace of Peace is threatened with the Tower of Babel's fate. It seems that the five architects are at loggerheads. Every one of them has his own plans for the architectural glorification of world peace, and no two of them are able to agree about anything. At present the nature of the central heating system is in acute controversy; if the five experts cannot come to terms, the outlook for delegates to winter sessions of the League will be, indeed, chilly. We find some comfort in the fact that no Irishman or Englishman is a contributor to this tragicomedy; the five architects are Swiss, Frenchmen and Italians. According to the Geneva Correspondent of the *Daily Telegraph*, not a single British firm has received a contract for the League building, although Great Britain and the Dominions (including the Irish Free State) furnish more than one-quarter of the League's income.

THE KING'S HOLIDAY CURTAILED.

The King and Queen concluded their holiday at Balmoral Castle last night, and, accompanied by the Duke of Gloucester and Prince George, left Ballater for London.

On arrival by motor in the station square at Ballater, Their Majesties were greeted by a large crowd. Before entering the station the King inspected the Guard of Honour of the 1st Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders. Among those assembled on the platform were Lord and Lady Aberdeen, Lord Dunedin, the Dowager Lady Glentanar, and Sir Alexander Hendry, the Ballater doctor whom the King knighted on Saturday.

Lady Aberdeen presented the Queen with a bouquet of carnations and white heather, and presented the other members of the Royal party with buttonholes, also of carnations and white heather. Her Majesty also received a bouquet of roses from the Dowager Lady Glentanar.

The King told Lord Aberdeen that he had had a splendid holiday on Deeside.

The Royal train left Ballater at 5.45 p.m. and arrived at Aberdeen at 7.10. During the ten minutes halt while the engines were being changed Their Majesties and the two Princes alighted and shook hands with the Lord Provost, the city magistrates, Principal Sir George Adam Smith, and Sir John Marnoch, who were on the platform. The Royal visitors were cheered by a large crowd who had gathered behind the barrier.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

Prince George will inaugurate the Barking Charter celebrations, and will present the Charter to the town, on October 5th.

Princess Mary will open the annual exhibition of the Sheffield Chrysanthemum Society in the Cutlers' Hall, Sheffield, on November 12th.

The Marchioness of Londonderry and her daughters, Lady Helen and Lady Mary Stewart, are expected to arrive in London from Venice on October 5th. The Earl of Desart arrived in London yesterday from the Continent.

The Duke and Duchess of Bedford have arrived at Cairnsmore, Kirkcudbrightshire, where they will remain for about two months. The Duchess flew there in her Moth aeroplane. The Duke of Wellington, Lady Mary Hope, Colonel and Mrs. Scott Duff, and Mr. Roy Baird are among the guests of the Dowager Lady Glentanar at Craigendinnie, Aboyne.

The Earl of Dunmore, V.C., arrived in London yesterday from the Continent, and he will be joined in a few days by the Countess of Dunmore.

The Countess of Jellicoe, Viscount Brocas and Lady Gwendoline Jellicoe are due to arrive at Southampton on Friday, and will return to St. Laurence Hall, Ventnor, Isle of Wight. Countess Brassey will return to Park Gate, Battle, at the end of the month from the Continent.

Viscount and Viscountess Churchill will return to London at the end of this week from Langlee House, Galashiels.

Sir John and Lady Ward will remain at Kinnaird House, Perthshire, until the middle of October. Mr. and Mrs. Loel Guinness have arrived in London from Ireland. Mr. Benjamin Guinness has returned to London from Ireland.

The marriage will take place very quietly on the 14th October between Edward, son of the late Dr. and Mrs. Edward Taylor, of Bessmont Park, Monaghan, and Hope, second daughter of the late Alfred Hampden Waddell and Mrs. Waddell, of Lisnavane House, Stranooden, Co. Monaghan.

Dr. McArevey has returned to 51 Lower Baggot street.

Dr. G. R. Wilson has changed his residence from Little Gate, Carrickmines, to Cloughran, Gordon avenue, Foxrock.

Mr. F. E. Davies, Surgeon Dentist, has returned to 7 Clare street.

Mr. A. F. Carbury has returned to 35 Harcourt street.

Mrs. George Carroll, C.S.M.M.G., has returned to 7 Wellington road.

In their Millinery Department Switzers have just received a new collection of beautiful Hats of every description—for day, afternoon and sports wear. Their Millinery Buyer has now returned, and they are ready with a big variety for the Autumn season.

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Miss Rayner has returned to 16 Nassau st. with a choice selection of Corsets, Ladies' Frocks, Knitwear, etc., from London and Paris.

Model coat in black with Persian fabric collar and gauntlet cuffs for 5½ gns. at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

PASSENGERS ON ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Among the arrivals were:—Mme. E. Guerin, Dr. and Mrs. W. Starkey, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. E. FitzGerald, Captain and Mrs. West Pierce, Dr. R. Dwyer, Dr. and Mrs. T. O. Graham, Dr. and Mrs. Dolan, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Newsom, J. Rowan Raphael, Miss N. Murray, Miss D. McCarthy, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hall, H. Bindon Blood, A. D. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Beckett, Mrs. Michael Dawson, Mervyn Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Greene, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Reddin, George G. Harrap, George O. Harrap, J. J. O'Leary, Mr. and Mrs. Leo J. Jameson, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. MacCabe, A. Burns, Miss Burns, Mrs. James Murphy, Miss F. Murphy, Miss W. Simmendinger, Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair Stevenson, Miss D. M. Pike, Mrs. W. G. Jones, Miss A. Cullen, Miss A. Murphy, Miss Mai Hoctor, R. C. A. Bullock, Mrs. C. H. Miller, Moira Hannen, Mrs. N. Brandon, Mr. and Mrs. Coote Lloyd, Miss Gwen Lloyd, Mr. Thomas R. Ievers, Miss T. Carey, Miss Mary Clunan, Mrs. Spence, Henry S. Armstrong, Miss Ina Stanton, A. J. Cathcart, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Coe, J. E. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Caulfield, M. Woulfe, Arthur J. Phillpotts.

Among the departures were:—Dr. T. Cusack, Dr. T. McManus, Dr. and Mrs. Shortt, Master Peter Shortt, Dr. C. D. Hanan, Rev. P. Macken, Douglas G. Adams, Joseph Blackstone, Taylor Vard, Marcus Jacobs, M. T. Trench, F. C. J. Swanton, Mrs. R. A. Gough, Miss Fetherson, G. O'Geary, Mrs. and Miss Gore Grimes, Mr. and Mrs. FitzGerald, Ethel Prendergast, Mr. and Mrs. Willoughby Faussett, Miss Heather Faussett, Master Michael Cole, Master John Cole, Miss Grate Byrne, Miss B. Hughes, Miss Josephine Lyne, Miss Joan Daly, Misses R. and R. Jacob, Charles Millar, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hall, Thomas E. Hannan, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Armstrong, Rev. W. C. Hodgins, R. D. Williams, Miss Nina Weir, Mrs. James Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Penn, Etol H. T. Gahan, W. J. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Montague Jones, H. C. Normenton, Mrs. Normenton, D. Normenton, M. G. Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. G. Jefferson, T. Mulock, J. Edward Ellis, Miss J. S. Evans, Captain J. S. McMahon, Major and Mrs. Bennett, Miss V. E. P. Bennett, James Hall, Patrick Egan, Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Gunning, G. H. Maire Thompson, Victoria A. Phelps, Miss P. Harold, F. W. Main, James R. Blyth, H. R. Anderson, Arthur A. O'Dea, Miss D. Wright, Lewis A. Fry, Miss Poole, Mr. Allen, Miss A. L. Allen, Miss T. R. Wade, Miss Barry Walsh, Miss L. Lewis, Miss Gwen Lewis, Dr. H. Mitchell, Mrs. Mitchell, Miss Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. Fox, Miss E. Sterling Berry, T. J. McCarthy, W. C. Cook, Mrs. E. A. Weir, Rev. R. E. Weir, Stuart Weir, P. L. Lynch, Mrs. C. H. Leech, Mrs. K. Downing, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Shea, Miss B. O'Reilly, Mrs. Peter J. Byrne, Miss Ina Byrne, Mrs. Bateman, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith, Miss Isobel Bowman.

PASSENGERS BY B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.

Among the arrivals were:—Lady Ashtown, Sir P. Hanson and Lady Hanson, Mr. T. Berliner, Mr. T. Barlow, Mr. J. Hone, Mr. C. A. Hill-Smith, Mr. T. McNally, Captain Gore Hickman, Mr. J. Voce, Mr. W. G. Hicks, Mr. J. Graham, Mr. R. Toole, Mrs. E. Geoghegan, Miss A. Tracey, Miss Aherne, Mr. T. Abbott, Miss A. Kinnahan, Mr. S. Sinclair, Miss Farquhar, Miss Anthony, Miss L. P. D'Arcy, Mr. J. Murdoch, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Shearman, Mr. O'Keefe Lanigan, Miss Long, Mr. C. H. Hill Smith, Miss K. Young, Miss V. E. Cunningham, Miss Brett, Miss C. Brady, Miss E. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kennedy, Miss K. McCarron, Miss Valentine, Miss Rochford, Mr. T. Lawrence, Mr. D. Leclerc, Mr. A. J. Taylor, Mr. James Lea, Dr. and Mrs. Macnaught, Miss Burke, Mr. T. Moorhead, Mr. J. McCarron, Miss Armstrong, Miss Humphrey, Mr. G. V. Langley, Mr. and Mrs. Murdock, Mr. H. P. Taylor, Mrs. and Miss Owgan, Miss White, Mrs. K. A. Lanigan, Mrs. Slades, Miss Scott, Mr. E. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin, Mr. and Mrs. Sirdani, Miss M. Tyrrell, Mr. and Mrs. McDuff, Miss Taheny, Mrs. Nevin, Mr. and Mrs. Finnucane, Miss B. Milne, Miss L. Sutcliffe, Mr. C. R. Heath, Mrs. Masterson.

Among the departures were:—Lady de Freyne, Lady Beatrice Lister Kaye, Dr. and Mrs. Murray Bligh, Mr. and Mrs. Browne, Mr. W. R. Woolston, Mr. T. King, Major Gerrard, Mr. R. Wright, Mr. E. L. Fanshaw, Mr. E. A. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Nevlan, Mrs. E. Power, Mr. C. M. Fairhurst, Mrs. Herbert, Mr. A. Richardson, Mr. G. C. Sneyd, Mr. W. B. Evans, Miss N. Lewis, Mr. T. Duggan, Miss D. Anson, Mr. B. W. Jones, Baron de Robeck, Mr. M. Sheedy, Mrs. C. K. Armitage, Squadron-Leader Murphy, Miss J. Ramsden, Mrs. E. M. Bowyer, Miss McNaught, Mr. J. McVain, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones, Miss K. Kelly, Mrs. E. Osborne, Mr. S. Samuels, Rev. W. J. Mathews, Miss A. J. Taylor, Miss A. Townley, Mr. T. Savage, Captain and Mrs. Kelly, Captain H. C. Rawlings, Mr. R. Fitzgerald, Mr. D. Harris, Mr. T. Mooney, Bishop and Mrs. Barton, Rev. Brother Ryan, Mrs. M. Bottomley, Mr. T. Dockrell, Sir Ralph Kennedy, Mr. W. D. Aiken, Mr. and Mrs. MacArthur, Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald, Miss A. C. Benson, Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Rennison, Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Miss L. Connolly, Miss Cosgrave, Mrs. Shipley, Mrs. O'Rorke, Mrs. J. Neilon, Miss S. A. Watt, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis, Captain and Mrs. Wilmot, Miss C. H. Ward, Dr. M. F. Potter, Miss Forrest, Mr. T. Myerscough, Miss Quinn, Miss O'Connor, Mr. F. B. Garrett, Miss M. S. Gosset, Mr. J. L. Stuart, Mr. H. W. Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Stack, Dr. Haines, Mr. C. Finneran, Mr. T. J. Breen, Mr. Lalor Finton, Dr. and Mrs. Hosty, Mrs. Burns.

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The Budget of the Straits Settlements has a deficit of 21,500,000 dollars. The Governor, Sir Cecil Clementi, in his Budget speech at Singapore, announced that all temporary allowances, both for officers on the active list and pensioners, must cease as from January 1, 1932, as a measure of economy.

BRIGHT COMEDY AT GAIETY THEATRE.

"LUCKY IN LOVE."

Twist	Horace Custins.
Ferdinand Wragg	Percy Marmont.
Claude Tattenham	Hastings Lynn.
Richard Wragg	Harold Cheshire.
Gertrude Wragg	Ruth Goddard.
Malvina Hope	Willa Lyndberg.
Burlington Dunn	Walter Pemberton.
Emma Fripp	Phœbe Kershaw.
Mrs. Fidder	Ann Leslie.
Horace Gottschalk	Frank Follows.
Mr. Perks	Leslie Kyle.
Mr. Bobbin	Gordon Furnivall.

Produced by Athole Stewart.

What would have happened to such light material as "Lucky in Love" had it received less competent acting and production is difficult to imagine; its first production at the Gaiety Theatre last night was a triumphant success because of the perfection in technique and the enthusiasm which every member of the cast brought to the business. It was probably the chance of seeing such a prominent member of the film firmament as Mr. Percy Marmont which brought the large audience, but it was the combined efforts of the company which merited the applause at the end.

The acting of Mr. Percy Marmont revealed something of the films in its technique; the little jerky movements from time to time, for example, were of the screen studio rather than of the stage. With a fine presence and a voice which the stage could not afford to lose, Mr. Marmont is an actor whose personality alone would carry many plays of the texture of "Lucky in Love" to success. He was supported by a cast of unusual competence, every member of which brought some distinctive feature to the *ensemble*. "Lucky in Love" is, therefore, a play to see almost entirely because of its acting.

The play itself centres upon the impecunious condition of the kind-hearted Ferdinand Wragg, who was as interested in horses as he was in impoverished genius. At a moment when his affairs were in the most desperate state he met a young lady waiting for a 'bus, and from that moment until he married her a few weeks later he knew no peace either from his creditors or himself. That the lady was a film-actress did not matter very much, because in this event it was impoverished genius in the shape of Mr. Gottschalk which rescued him from the worst efforts of his creditors. In his case, bread cast upon the waters made its full return.

WELL-CONTRIVED SCENE.

The technique of the play bears all the marks of the "well-made" kind. Everything is foreshadowed, and nothing is left to chance. The little touch about the young film actress taking the part of an old woman in a film has its utility when the suspicious Mrs. Wragg has to be outwitted by the departure of a charwoman. This scene was so well contrived and so splendidly acted that it received the meed of applause that was certainly its due. Prospective writers of light farce-comedy should make a point of seeing "Lucky in Love."

As most of the dialogue of the play fell to Mr. Percy Marmont, who was on the stage most of the time, it should be said that he gave an outstanding performance, restrained or vivacious, as the play required. He is an actor of unusual ability, of whom one would gladly see much more. It was somewhat startling to discover that one who looked and acted so closely to Ralph Lynn should himself bear the name of Hastings Lynn, that what seemed to merit praise as excellent imitation may, in fact, be but family trait; anyway, his Claude Tattenham was an excellent piece of work. It may be that somewhere in real life there is a butler as perfect as Mr. Horace Custins, but it is doubtful if even the great Crichton himself could have improved upon his performance. In Miss Phœbe Kershaw, the lady of the 'bus came to life beautifully, and Miss Ruth Goddard was sufficiently acid, as Mrs. Wragg, to reduce more than her husband to the pliable state.

"Lucky in Love" is a trifle, perhaps, but it is a deliciously witty trifle so perfectly acted that it should certainly be seen. It will be repeated every evening this week at 8 o'clock, and at a matinée performance on Saturday afternoon at 2.30.

THE SPENT SWALLOWS.

Was it from Ireland that the swallows went—
From Cloney may be, from the fields around—
To fall upon their way, all cold and spent,
Where kindly, pitying folk among them went
And took them to a place where help was found?

Were they the swallows that we watched for here
When Spring was setting all the gorse alight,
When lovely wonders of another year
Seemed to our eager eyes to be more clear,
Once we had seen the swift, familiar flight?

Was there a swallow that had built a nest
Against some out house in a Cloney lane—
Some bird that darted high and took no rest,
That was the honoured and the trusting guest
Of one who looked to see it there again?

Was it from Ireland—from our skies of grey,
Our misty autumn fields—those swallows flew?
Then those who helped them on their southward way,
Who gathered them in pity as they lay,
Have helped the Cloney folk who love them, too

D. M. L.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—An anti-cyclone centred off Cornwall is decreasing in intensity, while depressions are moving north-east over Iceland. Weather will become less settled in the extreme north-west, but elsewhere there will be little change.

North-West Ireland.—Fresh south or south-west wind; cloudy; rain at times; moderate temperature.

North-East, South-East and South-West Ireland.—Light or moderate variable to south-west wind; mainly cloudy; local morning mist or fog; moderate temperature.

Irish Sea and St. George's Channel.—Light or moderate south-west wind; cloudy; mist locally; sea slight.

Dixon and Hempenstall Barometers and Thermometers. 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN WEATHER REPORT.

Sept.	Bar	THERMOMETER. Temp. 9 p.m.	Max.	Min.	Grass Min.	Wind.	Rain. m.m.	Sun hours
21	30.608	48.5	60	49	48	E.	—	7.1
22	30.504	51.6	61	42	35	W.S.W.	—	8.9
23	30.509	53.2	58	43	41	—	—	0.5
24	30.641	55.1	57	52	47	E.N.E.	trace	0.0
25	30.716	54.6	57	52	50	E.	—	0.0
26	30.672	53.8	56	53	51	E.	—	0.0
27	30.410	52.4	59	51	49	—	—	0.0

THE SUN.	TO-DAY.	TO-MORROW.
Rises	7.21	7.23
Sets	7.9	7.7
Lighting-up Time	8.9	8.7
HIGH WATER—DUBLIN.		
Morning	1.25	1.55
Evening	1.40	2.6

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

AMUSEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"Lucky in Love."
Olympia Theatre—Variety.
Abbey Theatre—"Professor Tim."
Gate Theatre—"R.U.R."
Metropole Cinema—"Alibi."
Grafton Cinema—"The Skin Game."
Savoy Cinema—"Mother's Millions."
Irish Wireless and Gramophone Exhibition—Mansion House, 11 a.m. to 10 p.m.
Theatre Royal—"The Toast of the Legion."
Pavilion Cinema—"Africa Speaks."
Capitol Cinema—"No Limit" and "The Sea God."

LONDON LETTER.

GENERAL ELECTION RUMOURS.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON
MONDAY NIGHT.

It is rumoured that the Prime Minister reached no decision after the meeting of the Cabinet to-day about an immediate appeal to the electorate. If this is correct the effort made by the majority of the Conservative Party to secure a general election has failed, and the National Government will continue in office until it has completed its task. So many stories purporting to be authoritative, have been spread abroad during the week that it is scarcely surprising that people have come to accept them as correct. I understand, however, that the Prime Minister has come to the conclusion that he will not appeal to the country for anything approaching party reasons; but, if necessity arises, he will be willing to make such an appeal as the head of a united National Government. The Cabinet, it is understood, have come to a similar conclusion—namely, that the continuance of unity is absolutely essential in the present circumstances.

Sir Herbert Samuel presided over a meeting of the members of the Liberal Shadow Cabinet this morning, when the situation was reviewed carefully, and after a long discussion the gathering unanimously reaffirmed its opposition to a general election. This can mean nothing but that Sir Herbert Samuel and other prominent Liberals will leave the Government if an appeal to the country is to be made.

Mr J. H. Thomas's View.

It may be found during the next few days that circumstances are too strong for Mr. Ramsay Macdonald, and that an appeal to the country may be forced by those who are desirous of seeing a change in our fiscal relations. In such a case the National Government will break up, and the situation will become purely partisan again. Mr. J. H. Thomas, who apparently expected an almost immediate election, announced that, in the event of an appeal to the country, it would be by a National Government, with Mr. Ramsay Macdonald at its head; but today he qualified this statement by saying that he did not know whether or when a general election would take place, though he thought an appeal to the country could not be long delayed. In his opinion Parliament will complete its emergency business this week and will rise, but such an event will not necessarily mean a dissolution.

Lord Melchett's Bill.

Lord Melchett, who is taking a very deep interest in the progress of events brought about by the financial crisis, has a plan of his own for dealing with the adverse trade balance, and to-morrow he intends to impress it on the House of Lords. He hopes to introduce a short bill which would give the King power by proclamation to declare a position of economic emergency. The idea of Lord Melchett is that, during such conditions, the King would be able to make orders to restrict the importation of goods and merchandise into the country in such manner as would appear advisable, in order to restore the balance of the overseas trade. The remedy for economic decrease appears to be simple, but simple remedies often are the best, and the most extreme free trader scarcely could find fault with a temporary measure of protection.

The Gold Standard Abroad.

Norway and Sweden have abandoned the gold standard, and it is expected that Denmark, having already placed an embargo on gold exports, shortly will follow the example of the other Scandinavian nations. This decision is of some interest to us, since it shows that it is obviously to the advantage of Norway and Sweden to follow sterling rather than to allow their currencies to stand at a premium over the English pound. British buyers would have had to pay more for them owing to the increased cost of the kroner, and, as Norway and Sweden are large exporters to the United Kingdom, this would have tended to reduce their exports. It is highly probable that other European countries will take similar steps in order that they may still sell in our markets and continue what is known as mass dumping. Unless the British Government devises means to protect the country against this development in favour of the foreigner, our adverse trade balance scarcely is likely to decrease.

A Rise in Prices.

The Government must exercise very careful supervision over the sale of foodstuffs; for beyond doubt there is an inclination in certain directions to make the most out of our necessities. Tinned foodstuffs from foreign countries, such as the United States, will cost us more, but in some cases prices have been put up twenty-five *per cent.* already. This is fairly heavy, particularly as it is only a prelude to what will be charged later. Coal will be increased by two shillings a ton on Thursday, but this, it is declared, has nothing to do with the crisis, being an ordinary seasonal rise.

Coal Exports.

A decidedly better market for British coals abroad is expected in business circles, as it is thought that supplies will be needed, not only for the near continental ports, but also for those in the Mediterranean and those of South America. It is now possible that Welsh coal may be able to compete in eastern markets in competition with coal from South Africa and India, owing to its lower price. This may help in a demand for shipping tonnage—another good thing, inasmuch as many ships are laid up in this country waiting for a chance of work. In the meantime, heavy chartering is taking place in the River Plate shipping market, and over twenty vessels have been taken in two days.

Petrol.

The price of petrol will be affected by the change in the value of sterling, and an announcement may be expected. Nearly all the motor spirit used in this country is imported, but all oil companies are not affected in the same way; for, whereas some import refined petrol ready for distribution, others import it in a crude form, and the refining is carried out here. Another difference concerns the source of the spirit and the degree of depreciation suffered by sterling in the different countries from which supplies are obtained. Changes in price are to be anticipated from time to time with the movements of the exchange rates, but it is probable that arrangements will be made whereby there will be no alteration in the retail price for small movements of the exchange, and that any appreciation in the value of the pound will be passed on without delay.

"Wireless" on Cars.

A departure which will be seen in many of the new cars at the Motor Exhibition at Olympia is the provision of wireless installations. It is the custom for many motorists to carry portable sets about with them, but need for this now will be removed. The instrument board of the cars will be provided with the necessary buttons in order to enable the motorist to tune in on any station, while the accumulators will be charged from the car dynamo. The installation will not add greatly to the cost of the car, and it is probable that many purchasers will wish to have this luxury fitted.

An Exchange message from Capetown states that the 8,000-ton Italian steamer Rosandra went ashore in a fog near Walvis Bay on Sunday night. She is undamaged, but it was found necessary to pump out her oil fuel to lighten her sufficiently to get her refloated.

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DENMARK ABANDONS GOLD STANDARD.

EXCHANGES TEND TOWARDS STABILITY.

A STEADIER VALUE FOR STERLING.

INFLATIONARY MEASURES DISCOURAGED.

DENMARK has followed Norway and Sweden in abandoning the gold standard.

For the moment, however, the foreign exchanges and the stock markets appear to be stabilising around new levels.

Sterling on New York Exchange closed at 3.86, while Paris was unchanged at 97 francs. Other exchanges generally indicated a steadier value for sterling.

The London Stock Exchange yesterday included among its rules a proviso that, "unless otherwise arranged, no delivery of securities shall take place on Saturdays."

While other countries are abandoning the gold standard, Dr. Brüning (Chancellor) announces that Germany will maintain it at all costs.

Mr. Snowden, in the House of Commons yesterday, announced the Government's firm determination to "avoid any inflationary measures." He welcomed the Stock Exchange decision to limit transactions to cash dealings.

The Irish banks have increased their rate to 6½ per cent.

WHY SCANDINAVIA ACTED

Within a week of the British Government's decision temporarily to abandon the gold standard, says Reuter's correspondent, all three Scandinavian countries have followed suit. The decision of Sweden and Norway was announced on Sunday night, and the news that Denmark had made its currency inconvertible came last evening. In spite of her agricultural prosperity and her favourable trade balance, the economic structure of Denmark is so closely linked to that of Great Britain that her departure from the gold standard was almost a foregone conclusion. Its repercussion on the prices of Danish bacon and dairy products in Great Britain is likely to be distinctly favourable to the British housewife.

The abandonment of the gold standard in Sweden and Norway has been taken calmly and optimistically, and in both countries stress is laid on the view that the change has been caused by exterior influence, and in no way reflects unfavourably on the state of either country's finances.

The immediate effect of dropping the gold standard was a rise in the value of sterling, the £1 being quoted in Stockholm yesterday at 17.85 nominal, as compared with from 13.50 to 15 on Saturday—parity is 18.159. In Oslo the £1 rose to 17.85, as compared with from 16.75 to 17.75 on Saturday.

In Copenhagen, where the gold standard was in force early in the day, the £1 fell from 18 on Saturday to 15.90 yesterday.

It seems probable that the Stockholm Stock Exchange will remain closed over the end of the month.

WHY NORWAY WENT OFF THE STANDARD.

From Reuter's Correspondent.
OSLO, Monday.

Strong denials that Norway's decision to suspend the gold standard was due to any difficulty in carrying on the country's finances on a gold basis are made to-day by the Governor of the Bank of Norway, M. Rygg. There was nothing to prevent us going on, he declared; but we had to look forward beyond the immediate future, and we came to the conclusion that we had better act at once, instead of being forced to act in a few weeks' time. An extraordinarily dangerous situation was created in Norway by the British decision to suspend the gold standard, owing to the dominant influence of sterling in Norwegian trade and industry, particularly the shipping industry. We are aware of the dangers, and we shall try to limit the harmful effects.

SWEDISH STATEMENT.

The Swedish Consul in Dublin supplies the following official statement:—

At the request of the Bank of Sweden (the Riksbank) the Swedish Government decided on the 28th instant to exempt the Bank of Sweden from the liability to redeem its notes in gold for a period from the 29th of September to the 31st of November, 1931. This step has been taken owing to the exceptional demands on the Swedish gold reserves from other currencies after the decision of England to suspend the gold standard. The Bank of Sweden has to-day increased its rates of interest from 6 to 8 per cent.

DENMARK'S DEPARTURE.

BILL TO BE INTRODUCED TO-DAY.

From Reuter's Correspondent.
COPENHAGEN, Monday.

It is learned in financial and political circles to-night that the Government will introduce a bill in Parliament to-morrow suspending the gold standard. The bill, which will be introduced at the request of the National Bank, will also reduce the percentage of metallic cover from 50 to 33⅓ per cent.

The meeting this afternoon between the members of the Government and the directors of the National Bank started at 5.30 o'clock, and lasted for about an hour, after which a Cabinet Council was held.

A discussion took place this evening between the Government and the other party leaders.

GERMANY AND THE GOLD STANDARD.

TO BE MAINTAINED AT ALL COSTS.

From Reuter's Correspondent.
BERLIN, Monday.

"Germany's currency must remain intact, and therefore the Government, in conjunction with the Reichsbank, will do everything for its protection." This statement was made to-day by the Chancellor, Dr. Bruning, at a meeting of the Savings Bank Association.

Referring to the depreciation of sterling, Dr. Bruning remarked that there were people who, influenced by events in England, thought that a revival of economic life would follow depreciation of the currency. But things in Germany were different from those in England, which was "materially and morally in a considerably stronger position than Germany."

The Reichsbank will fix the quotations of foreign exchange from to-morrow. The Stock Exchange will remain closed till further notice. This decision was taken at the request of the Prussian Government by the Cabinet of the Reich, acting in consultation with the Director of the Reichsbank.

FALL IN DUTCH CURRENCY.

THE BANK RATE RAISED.

From Reuter's Correspondent.
AMSTERDAM, Monday.

The Netherlands Bank has informed bankers and brokers that gold will be held at their disposal in view of the rise of the franc in relation to the guilder. The quantities of gold that may be required are not stated.

The Netherlands Bank has raised its rate of discount from two to three per cent.

POSITION IN NEW YORK.

STERLING BETTER.

From Reuter's Correspondent.
NEW YORK, Monday.

Sterling started with an upward rush to-day, soaring 11 cents, but later most of the gain was lost. Most of the quotations were around 3.84.

Foreign exchanges, other than sterling, also fluctuated greatly. The Swedish crown dropped to a new low figure, as the result of the Stockholm Government's suspending gold payments, but the Norwegian and Danish currencies slightly improved.

The Canadian dollar was also better.

The Stock market weakened at the close of a dull session, with losses of 2 to 3 points. General Motors fell a point to a new low figure.

The total sales were approximately 1½ million shares.

United Kingdom 5½ per Cent. closed at 94½. The closing rate for sterling was 3.86.

BRITISH ASPECT OF THE CRISIS.

STATEMENTS IN COMMONS.

The Prime Minister informed Lieutenant-Commander Kenworthy that he did not propose to consider the appointment of a Royal Commission to inquire into the causes and circumstances of the pressure on the London gold market, and its lack of support during the month of August.

AVOIDANCE OF INFLATION.

Mr. Snowden, replying to Mr. Thorne (Labour, Plaistow), said that Portugal, Norway, Sweden and Bolivia had temporarily abandoned the gold standard, and Denmark had temporarily prohibited the export of gold. (Denmark later departed from the gold standard). It would bewould be premature at present to make any statement as to whether the Government had considered the advisability of reverting to the gold standard, since the future policy of this country would have to be decided later, in the light of existing circumstances, at home and abroad. I think it right, he observed, to repeat that it is the firm determination of the Government to avoid any inflationary measures, and too much regard should not be paid to temporary fluctuations.

Mr. Snowden added that no negotiations were proceeding between the Government and other Governments regarding an international conference for fixing an international standard of exchange.

GAMBLING IN STERLING.

PROHIBITIVE MEASURES.

Colonel Howard Bury (Conservative, Chelmsford), asked the Prime Minister whether the Government were taking any steps to prevent foreigners from gambling in the pound sterling and forcing its value down in terms of foreign currencies.

Mr. Snowden replied—The essential steps which the Government have already taken are to balance our Budget, to set our faces against any sort of inflationary measures, and to control exchange purchases by persons residents in this country. It is not desirable to prevent the realisation of sterling by persons at a sacrifice if they so desire. As regards speculation, persons who sell sterling at figures below its intrinsic value are incurring serious risk, and the remedy will come quickly when they begin to incur losses. In the meantime, it is essential that speculation should not be assisted by allowing foreigners or their nominees to obtain new sterling credits in this country. In this connection I welcome the decision of the Stock Exchange Committee to limit transactions to cash dealings.

Mr. Thurtle (Labour, Shoreditch)—Are we to understand that there is not now, and never was, serious danger of a great flight from the pound?

Mr. Snowden—The hon. member must assume nothing of the sort.

WESTMINSTER TENSION.

MEETING OF THE CABINET.

VIEWS ON GENERAL ELECTION.

PREMIER TO SEE THE KING TO-DAY.

From the Press Association's Lobby Correspondent.

FINAL decisions have yet to be taken on the question of an early general election.

It is understood that this was the principal subject of discussion at a long meeting of the Cabinet in the Prime Minister's room at the House of Commons last evening.

The Cabinet sat for nearly two and a half hours, and there will be a further meeting to-day.

The King is due to arrive in London this morning, and it is expected that during the day the Prime Minister will report to His Majesty the latest developments in the political situation.

For some hours before the Cabinet met yesterday there was a change in the atmosphere, many politicians on both sides of the House expressing the belief that an election was now less likely.

PREMIER'S POSITION.

It became known that friends of the Prime Minister were emphasising the point that Mr. Macdonald could not be expected to lead an appeal to the country if that appeal was to be based on the policy of one particular party—it must be a national appeal, backed by elements representative of all parties and directed to the satisfaction of national needs and not to mere party advantage.

These warnings to the over-zealous party men were at first widely interpreted as a set-back to the whole election project. Later in the evening, however, after the Cabinet meeting, opinion at Westminster underwent a further change. The view then formed was that difficulties had arisen, not so much on the question of whether an early election was desirable, as on the question of the nature of the appeal to be made to the country by the National Government in the event of an election being decided on. Accordingly, expectations of an early election still remain strong at Westminster.

"THE SOONER THE BETTER."

So much has been said about the coming of an election that many of the most experienced among the party leaders doubt whether, in the circumstances now created, an election could be avoided. It is pointed out that even those Liberal Ministers who are hostile to an early election are prepared to contemplate an appeal to the country in three or four months' time.

Conservatives, who have been pressing the case for an early election, say that if there is to be an election at any time in the next six months, the sooner it is held the better, as the continuance of the state of uncertainty now existing must have a disturbing effect in the country.

TARIFFS QUESTION.

Conservatives believe that tariffs are an indispensable condition to the treatment of the evils from which the country is now suffering, and there are many Liberals who are prepared to support tariffs temporarily, if it can be shown that they are necessary in the present emergency.

The Prime Minister's attitude is believed to be that he excludes neither tariffs nor anything else in facing the problems of trade and finance that now threaten the country, but that the test must be not the fulfilment of a party policy, but the best interests of the country.

COMPROMISE NEEDED.

It is suggested that there would be little difficulty in reaching agreement among the partners in the National Government if, on one side, some Conservatives refrained from pressing the tariff policy to its full limits, and, on the other side, some Liberal free traders made a nearer approach to what the Conservatives regard as the realities of the situation.

There are a good many politicians, both protectionists and free trade, who prefer that, if tariffs are to come in the immediate future, they should be framed by the National Government rather than by a purely Conservative Government, their belief being that public opinion, in these circumstances, would feel more assured that the real needs of industry were being scientifically treated.

VALUE OF THE £ YESTERDAY.

	Sat.	Mon.
New York	15/9½	16/2
Amsterdam	15/8	16/3
Berlin	15/3½	16/1½
Brussels	15/7	16/-
Rome	15/9½	16/11
Paris	15/7½	15/10

At last evening's Cabinet Council there were present — Mr Macdonald, Mr. Baldwin, Mr. Snowden, Sir Herbert Samuel, Lord Sankey, Lord Reading, Sir Samuel Hoare, Mr. J. H. Thomas, Mr. Neville Chamberlain and Sir Philip Cunliffe-Lister.

The Central News Lobby Correspondent says:—As matters stood last night, it is uncertain whether there will be an immediate general election or not. Many members think that it must come, while others are less confident about it than they were. Whichever way the decision goes, it will be a relief to members to know one way or another on Wednesday.

A LIBERAL MANIFESTO.

"We, the undersigned prospective Liberal candidates, do not desire to lay unnecessary burdens upon the nation, and, therefore, decline to enter into any party arrangement or coalition having for its object or including in its programme a tariff of any kind whatever."

This declaration, signed by forty-five Liberal candidates who have been adopted for constituencies in various parts of the country for the forthcoming general election, is being sent to the Liberal leaders, the National Liberal Federation and the Liberal Parliamentary Party.

Viscount Grey, in Newcastle yesterday, denied to an *Evening Chronicle* representative a report published yesterday that at the next general election he would appear on the same platform as Mr. Lloyd George.

"It is the first I have heard of it," he said. "I know nothing about it. I have no public engagements for several weeks."

WEDDING POSTPONED.

The Press Association is officially informed that "the marriage of Viscount Castlereagh to Miss Romaine Combe, arranged for Thursday, October 15th, at St. Martin's-in-the-Fields, has been unavoidably postponed in view of the possibility of a general election. The altered date will be announced in due course."

Viscount Castlereagh is the prospective Conservative candidate for Co. Down. At the last election he contested the Darlington division.

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

INCREASED TO SIX-AND-A-HALF P.C.

TEXT OF OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

THE Irish banks yesterday decided to raise their rate of discount from 5½ per cent. (at which it was fixed on July 30) to 6½ per cent.

The following official announcement was issued:—

"At a meeting of the Irish Banks' Standing Committee held this day (September 28) the following rates were decided upon, and will take effect on and from the 29th inst, viz.:—

"Irish Banks' Rate	**6½%**
"Loans on Government Stock transferred	**6 %**
"Deposits under £500	**3 %**
"Deposits of £500 and under £2,000	**3½%**
"Deposits of £2,000 and over	**4 %**

"The rates in the foregoing table are subject to variation."

EFFECT OF THE CHANGE.

IN LINE WITH THE BANK OF ENGLAND.

The present increase brings the Irish rate into line with the Bank of England rate of 6 per cent.

One factor in compelling the Irish banks to make a change, which would have been automatically made last Monday, when the Bank of England rate was raised to 6 per cent., is the decision to render compulsory all dealings for cash on the Stock Exchanges.

Undoubtedly, when the Irish banks decided last Monday not to follow the Bank of England's decision to go up to 6 per cent., they were of opinion that this extreme figure would not be maintained. It is now apparent, however, that the new rate may rule for a considerable time. Hence the change made yesterday.

BUSINESS MAN'S POSITION.

For the ordinary business men who do business with the banks the change is not material, as the overdraft rate does not change at all times with the Bank rate, except when loans are made at 1 per cent. or so above Bank rate.

The raising of the charge on loans on Government Stock transferred from 4½ per cent. to 6 per cent. is a more significant change even than the increase in the Bank rate. This rate has always been fixed well above the discount rate, but under the present conditions the abnormal increase is not surprising.

HOW DEPOSITORS STAND.

Depositors have no reason to complain of the allowances fixed yesterday. £2,000 and over now gets 4 per cent. and £500 and under £2,000 3½ per cent. Deposits under £500 are taken at 3 per cent. Not three months ago anything under £2,000 got only 1 per cent.

The Belfast Banking Company (which has no branches in the Free State) raised its discount rate on Monday, September 21, to come into line with the change in the English rate.

STOCK CONTROL.

NEW REGULATIONS.

Supplementary to the London Stock Exchange regulation that all bargains must be for cash and not continued, the Committee issued further regulations yesterday afternoon:—

Unless otherwise arranged, no delivery of securities shall take place on Saturday. The present delivery is made up to 11.30 on that day.

Further regulations are that, if securities deliverable by deed of transfer are not delivered in ten days from the date of the issue of the ticket, the issuer of the ticket may buy in the same on the eleventh day from the date of the issue of the ticket or on any subsequent day. The loss occasioned by such buying-in shall be borne by the holder of the ticket, unless he can prove that there has been undue delay in the passing of the ticket on the part of any member, who shall in that case be liable.

Should the deliverer of securities deliverable by deed of transfer allow two business days to elapse without availing of his right to sell out, his buyer shall be relieved from all loss in cases where the ticket has not been passed in consequence of the declaration of any member as a defaulter.

If a seller does not deliver securities within two business days from the "buy-in" day, the intermediate buyer from whom he receives the ticket shall be released, and the issuer thereof shall alone remain responsible for the payment of the purchase money.

FROM "THE TIMES."

(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT.)

A DOCTOR'S MANDATE.

In an editorial article, *The Times* to-day remarks:—A statement circulated yesterday by the news agencies may plainly be taken as an accurate general picture of the conditions on which the Prime Minister would be prepared to lead an appeal to the country. It reminds the public that national union and the public safety were the objects which brought the National Government into being. It stipulates for the maintenance of that union. Without the broadest co-operation a national programme cannot be carried out; with it Mr. Macdonald envisages an appeal for a big united central block, which would concentrate upon immediate national needs, and for power to apply the appropriate remedies as the needs arise.

If Mr. Macdonald's appreciation of present needs is to have the response it merits, adds *The Times*, the next decision to be taken is not whether the main choice for the electorate is to lie between tariffs and no tariffs. A national policy based upon the maintenance of free imports in all cases, and at all costs, would belie its name forthwith. It would not be national, since it would affront and exclude from the beginning practically the whole of the largest party in the constituencies. As a policy it would be stultified in practice by the deliberate refusal, taken out of prejudice, and without regard to the work to be done, to employ any and every legitimate implement that lies to a Government's hand.

THE CASE OF TARIFFS.

On the other hand, a national policy rigidly concentrated upon tariffs, and breathing only the religion of protection, would equally fail to fill the rôle. Like its opposite, it would, in politics and in economics, be hopelessly and, indeed, dangerously narrow, all the more so since the pound has left, for the time being, its anchorage of gold. The temporary and indiscriminate help which the depreciation of sterling, by lowering the cost of exports and increasing the cost of imports, will give to both sides of the national balance sheet, does not, as some free importers have lightly argued, deprive the tariff for all time of all point and purpose. But every rational protectionist should be ready to admit, not only that the argumentative case against the tariff has been momentarily fortified, but that the new position of the pound calls for a more elastic judgment of when and where, and in what form, the protective principle can help. A wooden and die-hard consistency would be doomed to repeat the prejudices rightly resented in those who would rather go bankrupt with free imports than prosper under a tariff. There is a difference between saying that economic stability will not be attained without tariffs, and that it shall not be so attained.

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THE TURNING POINT.

The phrase used yesterday, proceeds *The Times*, is excellently apt. A successful Government will require "a doctor's mandate." The nation's need is a physician sure of himself, because he has access to all the resources of medicine without exception, and because he has been able to enlist the whole confidence of the patient. Confidence wide enough to procure a national revival cannot be expected, except in favour of a Government equally broad and representative. The political sacrifices which will go to the making of such a Government will not be easy or formal. But there need be no question in any mind that the country expects and will approve them. Yesterday's reminder that Mr. Macdonald's historic decision to form the National Government was itself made at heavy personal and political cost was not unreasonable or untimely. Mr. Baldwin and his followers can certainly claim that they have not been behind him in concession.

CIVIL SERVICE SALARIES.

RUMOUR BUSY IN DUBLIN.

NO DECISION TO CUT YET TAKEN.

BUDGET-BALANCING DIFFICULTIES.

By Our Political Correspondent.

FOR some time past rumours have been in circulation to the effect that the Free State Government contemplate all-round reductions in the salaries of civil servants and other persons employed by the State. One report definitely fixes the reduction at ten per cent., and suggests that, in addition to the classes already indicated, members of the Government, the Senate and the Dail would be included.

Inquiries in authoritative quarters yesterday elicited information which neither completely denies nor confirms these rumours.

ECONOMY EVERYWHERE.

The position, when explained, is altogether understandable. The Free State Government is consistently economical in its administration. The Finance Department is constantly on the look-out for instances where economies can be effected. Almost every month circulars go out to heads of departments urging economies, and in the latest circular emphasis was laid on the necessity for economy in every direction.

When the crisis in Great Britain became acute, following the publication of the May Report and the decision to "cut" the salaries of officials in the public services by ten per cent., it was generally thought that the Free State Government would do likewise. Whether this was contemplated or not is beside the question; for the sudden change brought about by the departure of Great Britain from the gold standard, and the fact that the Free State currency is linked with British currency, has brought about a situation in which decisions based on previously existing conditions are of little account. The fact is that at the moment it is quite impossible to suggest, even approximately, what steps the Government may be obliged to take.

NO DRASTIC STEPS.

It is possible, however, to say definitely that no such drastic measures as those indicated have been considered by the Government, and, in fact, could not usefully be considered until the situation has further developed, and the world influences at present at work have shown a disposition towards stability.

It can be said also, that in any "cuts" which may ultimately become necessary, the Civic Guard, who have in recent years suffered both in pay and allowances, will not be included.

Neither will anything be done which would be likely to impair the efficiency of the Army. In regard to the Army, it is probable that in costs of administration and the disposition of the general staffs, efforts will be made to effect economies, but not in the rank and file.

With regard to the teachers, it is probable that they will not be altogether immune, but they need have no fear of suffering to the extent of 10 per cent., as suggested.

BALANCING THE BUDGET.

Much will depend on the recommendations of the Economy Committee. This body, which is presided over by Mr. M. Heffernan, T.D., Parliamentary Secretary to the Department of Posts and Telegraphs, was set up so far back as 1927. It has made suggestions and recommendations from time to time, many of which have been acted upon, and its suggestions, in the light of the new state of affairs, will, no doubt, influence any decisions which have to be taken. This committee has been very active of late.

The big question for the Government is, of course, to secure a balanced Budget. This year problems of unusual difficulty are apprehended, and as only half the financial year has yet passed, it is impossible to estimate what these problems ultimately will be like. For one thing, it is known that

under the head of Excise a very big drop is certain. According to the latest returns, this drop already stands at close on three-quarters of a million pounds.

BREWERY EXPORTS.

This is due to a falling off in brewing for export during the past six months. From other sources of revenue there has been a substantial falling off, but it is the experience of past years that as the end of the financial year approaches there is a greater inflow from various sources. With the unprecedented situation now existing, any attempt to forecast what the position will be six months hence would be futile.

While it is admitted that with a moderate fall in sterling—with the pound stabilised at about 15s. or 16s.—the immediate effect on the Irish Free State would be generally advantageous, it would be very different if Great Britain established a system of tariffs. Such tariffs would, no doubt, apply to all finished articles, and presumably would affect agricultural produce exported from the Free State. They might also include exported beer. If this was listed as a finished article, liable to a tariff, the effect would be serious. Of course, it might be found possible to ease such a situation by an arrangement between the Free State and Great Britain in regard to the several tariffs imposed by the Free State, all of which affect the entrance of British products to this country.

It is very unlikely that the Government will be able to say, even when the Dail meets a fortnight hence, what steps, if any, it will be necessary to take to meet the situation.

FARMING IN THE FREE STATE.

CONDITIONS IN CORK AND WEXFORD COUNTIES.

PRACTICAL AGRICULTURALISTS STATE THEIR VIEWS.

WE publish below a further article by our Special Correspondent who is discussing with farmers the condition of agriculture in the Free State. In this article the views of a County Cork pig-breeder and a well-known Wexford farmer show the difference of opinion that exist in areas which are close together.

PROFITABLE PIG-REARING.

By Our Special Correspondent.

IN a previous article I narrated a conversation that I had with a County Cork agriculturist, who took a cheerful view of the farming situation in the Free State. On leaving him I visited a young pig breeder in the same county, who, since the war, has bought about fifty acres of land, on which he keeps up to four hundred pigs, as well as eighteen head of cattle and a number of poultry.

Making use of the pig manure, he grows all the food necessary for the cattle, except for the concentrated food, which has to be bought during the winter, and feeds the separated milk to the pigs, though other pig food has to be bought. Any hardships that farmers might be suffering from he was inclined to attribute to their own lack of enterprise.

"The idea has always prevailed," he said, "that the type of farming practised should be regulated by the locality and the character of the inhabitants. It has never occurred to them that they should also consider markets.

"This is not by any means a bad time for pigs because of the very low prices for feeding. Of course, pig prices are also low; but I would rather have both costs and returns low than both high, as it exposes me to less risk of a heavy loss in the event of any of the animals dying, and, while the rate of profit is correspondingly low, I can increase that by increasing my stock."

PRODUCTION AND PRICES.

He showed me a graph which he has kept for nearly two years of his costs of production and the prices he obtains for stock, with the margin of profit clearly shown. While the profit is lower now than for a great part of the preceding period, the margin has been much more consistent for the last few months than it was a year ago, and he told me that he thought the tendency to decline would very shortly be checked.

"If the cost of production rose above the prices for sales," he said, "and remained so for about six months, I would sell all the pigs except for a nucleus of sows, and buy a few more cattle. Cattle do not yield any profit now, except for the sale of new milk, but, at least, I would not stand to lose anything during the interval that elapsed before pigs began to pay again. I would not go on producing at a loss, as so many other farmers complain that they are doing."

EXPORTS THAT PAY.

This farmer makes his business pay, he told me, because he sends his pigs to Birmingham, instead of selling them to the local bacon factories. "Even with the cost of freightage and other losses," he said, "it pays me to send them to Birmingham, where they pay about ten shillings a hundredweight more than they do in Cork, although Cork demands leaner pigs, which cost more to breed. I have told the Cork buyers that I will breed lean pigs for them if they will pay five or six shillings a hundredweight more for them than Birmingham pays for fat pigs, but they reply that they cannot pay the prices that Birmingham pays."

I asked why Birmingham was able to pay more than the Irish factories, and he said that he could only suggest that the Birmingham bacon factories cut out the fatter parts and sold them for pork.

"When other farmers complain about the competition of cheap foreign oats and maize," he added, "why do not they stop growing them for the time and take to pigs, so getting the benefit, as I do? Birmingham is clamouring for more pigs than it can get.

MORE FROM THE LAND.

"And those who are complaining that profits are too small, could increase them by getting more out of their land. Most of the land here is under-cultivated. It is worth my while to keep eighteen cows on about a dozen acres, and yet I know a man with over a hundred acres—richer land than mine—who keeps only the same number of cattle on it, and grumbles that they do not pay. They will not entertain the idea of selling any of their land, though they say that they are losing on it; yet if they did sell part of it, they could cultivate the remainder more intensively without extra cost.

"They could also go in for other crops—green vegetables, for instance."

I remarked that I had been told by farmers that the profits on green vegetables all went to dealers.

"That," he replied, "is not my experience. I have received from dealers sixpence a head for cauliflowers, which they have retailed at sevenpence-halfpenny. At the top of the season I have sold peas to them in bulk at twopence a pint, and they have retailed them in small quantities at threepence. That does not look as if I have been robbed. But it is esential, if the grower is to make a profit, that he should use intelligence and sell at the right time. With cabbages, for instance, I have taken spring cabbages which I had planted early to a dealer and got high prices for them, but if I had planted them a fortnight later they would not have been ready until everybody had cabbages ready to cut in their own gardens, and then the retailers would hardly have looked at them.

IDLE BANK BALANCES.

"Poultry are another good line. My own poultry give a larger ratio of profit than anything else that I have.

"Farmers, as a class," he added, "are too nervous about spending money. They carry large bank deposits, which they never touch, and which bring them in one and a quarter per cent., while the money might be earning about fifteen per cent., if properly applied, on their land. Personally, I nearly always run on an overdraft at the bank, as I find that it pays me to do so."

THE OTHER SIDE.

FARMING IN WEXFORD.

In order to hear the other side of the story, after the glowing accounts I had received in Cork, I could not have done better than I did in going on to Wexford. Is there a single optimist among the farmers of Wexford? I doubt it. Yet farming in the County Wexford, as a rule, is of the mixed variety, and the farmers utilise their crops for their own needs instead of selling them, thus fulfilling to the letter the conditions which one man in Cork had set out to me as the secret of successful farming. It can hardly be that what is the right method in the County Cork is the wrong method in the County Wexford.

I arrived in the town of Wexford on a Saturday, when large numbers of farmers had come in from the country, and as I talked with them I heard "hard-luck" stories everywhere; authenticated instances of farmers who had been forced to stop expenditure on their children's education, who had had to realise on investments in order to keep their farms going—one old farmer who had once possessed considerable reserves of private means told me that these were fast dwindling, as he had had to sell a thousand pounds' worth of investments recently—and even cases of farmers who could not buy sufficient nourishment.

LAYING THE BLAME.

And yet, in spite of all this, I could not discover a case of actual bankruptcy—that was always spoken of as a menace that loomed ahead, though dangerously near. Some railed against the Government, declaring that a great deal of the money which was spent on officials at home and Ministers abroad could be better used to assist agriculture. Most of them, however, confined their demands to tariffs and complete de-rating.

Rightly or wrongly, the retailer came in for considerable blame.

"When we were getting 20s. a cwt. more for fat cattle than we are now," said one man, "the retail price of beef was just the same. The local butchers buy beef at sevenpence a pound, and the choice cuts are sold by them at 1s. 2d. Of course, they don't get that for all they sell, but, taking everything into consideration, the margin is not fair."

LOCAL CONDITIONS.

I had a full discussion on local conditions with Mr. M. Doyle, one of the best known agriculturists in the county, an elderly man who still works on his farm, with five labourers, who has been a member of his County Council since its inauguration and has sat in the Dail for six years. It would be difficult to find a man with a fuller understanding of not only his own difficulties, but those of his neighbours as well.

"The situation," he assured me, "is not being in any way exaggerated. With prices as they are at present no farmer can pay his way, and it is difficult to get help from the banks to carry on. I do not know of any bankruptcies yet, but I am sure some will have to get that protection soon if conditions do not change.

"For most of them the standard of living is all right," he admitted; "but for some it has had to fall considerably. I know of actual cases where they are living on a starvation diet—I have had details of their budgets, and they are appalling. Food is no dearer than it was before the war, but clothes and boots and hardware are very much dearer.

LIVING ON DEPOSITS.

"Where farmers are still living comfortably it is because they have been thrifty in the past, and now have deposits to help them. It is impossible to make ends meet on the returns they are getting to-day. Even in the best of times farmers were not getting very large profits. I never knew of one who made a fortune.

"Then, rates are up 150 per cent. I remember when I used to pay total rates for my land of about £20. To-day, for the same land, they are over £50, and, if it were not for the £750,000 which was granted for rate relief in the last Budget, they would be touching £60 or £70. There should be full de-rating of agricultural lands."

Mr. Doyle mentioned that in a couple of cases portions of farms had been disposed of by the owners recently.

MORE CULTIVATION.

In reply to a question, he agreed that, with more intensive cultivation, the farms of County Wexford could be made to yield greater returns. I asked if there was anything to prevent the farmers from taking advantage of the fact.

"Yes," he said, "they would be prevented by their inability to purchase the additional machinery and manures which would be necessary."

"But could they not get loans from the Agricultural Credits Corporation?"

"The loans would have to be paid back in annuities, with six per cent. interest, and the farmers' receipts would not be great enough to do it on."

"But," I insisted, "suppose they sold part of the farm to get the capital for new machinery and manures in order to get more out of the land than was left?"

"With prices as they are," was the reply, "what return could they hope to get on their capital?"

I told Mr. Doyle of the results of my inquiries in Cork, and he was surprised—even incredulous, it seemed to me. When I remarked that successes there had been attributed to the up-to-date methods employed, he said: "In what way are they more up-to-date than we are? We use the most modern methods.

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MIDNIGHT VISIT TO FARMHOUSE.

MAN BEATEN WITH A RIFLE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

KELLS, Monday.

A SENSATIONAL affair occurred at Dervor, about six miles from Kells, County Meath, last night, as a result of which a small landholder, Thomas Mullen, is now lying injured in Navan Hospital. I visited the place to-day and had an interview with the occupants of the house.

NEPHEW'S STATEMENT.

Owen Mullen, a young man, stated: "At about midnight on Sunday three men came to the house. We were all in bed. The three men were disguised. They had white cloths over their faces with holes for their eyes. They also had a kind of netting on their heads, and wore black overcoats.

"The door was not locked, being merely on the latch. They pushed it open violently and made for the bed where my uncle was sleeping. They shouted 'Put them up.'

"I got up and saw that one man was carrying a rifle; another had a pistol, and the third seemed to be unarmed.

"They told me to turn round and tried to twist my hands. I resisted, and two of them held on to me. In the meantime the other man was beating my uncle with the rifle on the head."

Proceeding, he told how he got loose from the men and went to the assistance of his uncle.

WOMAN'S EXPERIENCE.

At this stage Anne Mullen, sister of Thomas Mullen, came on the scene. Her face showed a number of severe bruises and one eye was blackened. She explained how she was sleeping in the loft when she heard the racket and got up at once.

"When I was coming down," she said, "they broke the stairway under me and I fell. That is how I got the black eye."

Proceeding, she said that she shouted for help for all she was worth.

"I also shouted," she declared, "were they going to commit murder."

RIFLEMAN DISARMED.

She told how in a tussle she and Owen caught the gun and wrenched it out of the man's hand. The three men then appeared to get frightened and ran away.

"Before they did so," said Owen Mullen, pointing to a broken tooth, "the man with the pistol did that."

Owen explained how he went out to call the Civic Guard and stopped a motor car coming from the football match. He told the occupants of the car, and they reported the matter to the Civic Guard at Virginia, who telephoned to the Kells Guards. Guards from Kells arrived on the scene at about one o'clock, and the injured man was subsequently conveyed to hospital.

NO ARRESTS.

A strong force of Guards has since been searching the countryside. None of the family can give any reason for the outrage.

It was learned upon inquiry from the Kells Civic Guard last night that Thomas Mullen is progressing favourably. As yet no arrests have been made in connection with the affair.

NEW ZEALAND'S FINE EXAMPLE.

EFFORT TO KEEP TRADE "IN THE FAMILY."

The New Zealand Dairy Produce Board has issued the following statement:—

"With the prospect of some diminution of foreign imports following the departure from the gold standard, we desire to assure the public that New Zealand will make an unprecedented effort to increase supplies of food to the Home market, so that any reduction of foreign supplies will be reflected in an increase in Empire trade, without resulting in high prices.

"Cabled advices received this week from the Dominion indicate that still another record will be achieved during the dairying season just beginning, our producers, who in three years have increased by 50 per cent. their output of butter, supplying even larger quantities to the Home market.

NO CONTROL.

"In regard to prices, it should be hardly necessary to assure the public that absolutely no control is exercised by the New Zealand Dairy Produce in Britain, and supplies are placed on the open market as they come to hand. It is common knowledge that during the last eighteen months there has been a very big fall in the price of butter as a whole, owing to the rapid expansion in the Empire dairying industry, and a further substantial increase in the supplies from Dominion sources should counteract the effect of any contraction in the quantities sent from foreign countries.

"If, as a result of the present economic situation, the Empire commands a larger share of the butter and cheese trade, it should prove of the utmost benefit to British manufacturers, since the buying capacity of the Dominions will be increased. New Zealand is already the largest buyer per capita of British goods, and last year her purchases per head amounted to £12 1s. 2d., as compared with £1 12s. 11d. per head by Sweden, £2 18s. 3d. per head by Denmark, £4 11s. 8d. per head by Norway, £2 7s. 10d. per head by Netherlands, and only 10d. per head by the Soviet Union—to mention only a few countries which export vast quantities of dairy produce to Great Britain.

"By the end of November thirty-five ships of the 'Empire Butter Fleet' will have sailed for Great Britain from New Zealand ports alone, and there is every indication that we shall be able to maintain throughout the winter and early summer a monthly supply of 220,000 cwts. of butter, and reach a total for the season of 1,800,000 cwts., while we shall also send 200,000 cwts. of cheese monthly."

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ERA OF FRANCO-GERMAN AMITY.

FRUITS OF OFFICIAL VISIT TO BERLIN.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BERLIN, Monday.

THE creation of an Economic Commission to devise means for a closer co-operation between France and Germany was announced (as foreshadowed yesterday) at the close of the discussion between the French and German statesmen in Berlin this evening.

A *communiqué* read by the French Ambassador, M. Poncet, to a large gathering of foreign and German newspaper men in the presence of M. Laval and M. Briand explained that France and Germany are agreed to try jointly to overcome the present crisis by appointing a Franco-German Economic Commission, on which will sit representatives of both Governments, business leaders, and representatives of Labour.

PERMANENT SECRETARIAT.

The work of the Commission will be assisted by a permanent secretariat, which will meet either in Germany or France, as is found desirable. It will consider all economic problems affecting the two countries, while not forgetting the interests of third parties.

The agreement is not directed against any other country, as the work of the Commission will be to seek new means of disposing of each country's products without raising tariff barriers.

M. Laval and M. Briand made their official call on President Hindenburg this morning. They then motored to Cladow and lunched on the shore of the Havel Lakes, near Potsdam, with Dr. Brüning and Dr. Curtius. In the afternoon the conference was resumed, and the details of the schemes discussed are to be left to the Economic Commission, which is expected to begin work in the middle of October.

BETTER UNDERSTANDING.

At the conclusion of to-day's discussions M. Laval, the French Premier, expressed his satisfaction at the reception he and his colleagues had had in Germany—not only in official quarters and from the public, but also from President Hindenburg. M. Laval expressed the hope that an era of better understanding between France and Germany had now begun, which would be to the benefit of the whole world.

The German Chancellor (Dr. Brüning), the Foreign Minister (Dr. Curtius) and other members of the Cabinet were the guests to-night of M. Laval and M. Briand at the French Embassy.

The French Ministers leave for Paris to-morrow.

HOUSING SCHEMES POSTPONED.

RESULT OF ENGLISH FINANCIAL CRISIS.

The Committee of the Sligo Board of Health, introduced by Alderman Jinks, waited upon the Lord Mayor of Dublin, who is Trustee of the Royal Liver Friendly Society, at the Mansion House yesterday, and requested that he might endeavour to have re-opened certain negotiations between the Board and the Society which had recently been broken off.

The object of these negotiations was the outcome of a desire on the part of the Board to raise a loan on favourable terms to further and develop housing schemes in the area under its control. The breaking-off of these negotiations is directly the result of the present English financial crisis, and similar postponements are taking place all over Great Britain, Northern Ireland and the Irish Free State. The Lord Mayor promised to press the Board's claims for a re-opening of negotiations, and, it is understood, he will shortly travel to Liverpool to speak on behalf of the Irish councils affected.

FISHING BOAT ON FIRE OFF BRAY.

CREW FORCED TO TAKE TO DINGHY.

The motor fishing boat, Marie Rosaleen, took fire on the fishing grounds in Bray Bay yesterday evening and burned to the water's edge.

The crew of three—John Fitzpatrick, 9 Pembroke street, Irishtown, master; Frank Sheridan, 96 Stella Gardens, Irishtown, and John Waddick, 3 Chapel avenue, Irishtown, escaped without serious injury.

The scene of the fire is about two miles to the eastward of Bray Esplanade. Shortly after four o'clock the attention of people on the promenade was attracted by flames, which suddenly shot up from the yawl. The alarm was raised, and three boats put off to the rescue.

On arrival they found that the crew of the Marie Rosaleen had already taken to their small dinghy. It was at once apparent that any effort to save the burning boat would be wasted, but the boat's trawl, which had been thrown overboard, was picked up.

Mr. Fitzpatrick, who was in charge of the Marie Rosaleen, said that they left for the fishing grounds at 12.30, and started fishing a few minutes before three o'clock. When they were about to haul up the trawl he went to attend to the engine, and he had no sooner left it than he saw a flame shoot out of the engine room. He returned, and got hold of the fire extinguisher, but its contents had no effect on the flames.

"We endeavoured to fight the flames with water then," he continued, "but this was also useless. We stood by as long as we possibly could, until eventually we had to take to our small boat."

The boat was burning for about four hours.

Mr. Fitzpatrick received a burn to his arm when attempting to put out the fire.

DUBLIN COUNTY COUNCIL.

APPOINTMENT OF MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH.

At a meeting of the Dublin County Council last night Dr. James Augustine Harbinson, of Naas, County Kildare, who had been recommended by the Local Appointments Commissioners, was appointed medical officer of health for the county at a salary of £800, rising by annual increments to £1,000 a year.

The Council expressed approval of the recommendation of the County Dublin Libraries Committee appointing Mr. J. T. Dowling assistant county librarian as from November 1st, 1931.

Mr. Jas. Tunney and Mr. Mulvey were elected to represent the Council on the Dublin Union Committee. Mr. J. J. Shiel already represents the county on the committee, but the two other representatives were selected in accordance with the Local Government (Dublin) (Amendment) Act, 1931, which provides for increased representation on the Union Committee.

RESCUE AT BRAY.

Considerable excitement was created at Bray on Sunday evening, when a child fell into the sea from the Esplanade. Mr. McInerney, of Fitzwilliam terrace, Bray, plunged in and effected a rescue.

M. Poincaré, the veteran ex-President and ex-Premier of France, is returning to public life on complete recovery from his long illness (says Reuter), and will be present at Friday's opening of the French Bar at the beginning of the autumn law term in his capacity of "batonnier," or titular head.

NEW HOUSING IN DUBLIN.

£27,000 CONTRACT FOR FLATS.

640 NEW DWELLINGS AT CABRA.

AT the meeting of the Dublin Corporation Housing Committee yesterday the Deputy City Manager (Mr. Ignatius J. Rice) notified that he had accepted the tender of Messrs. H. and J. Martin, amounting to £27,864 (being the lowest of eight tenders received in reply to advertisement), for the 72 three-room flats in four-storey blocks on the Mary's lane area, and that the firm propose to commence the work without delay.

The Committee had before them a letter from Mr. George F. Beckett, Hon. Secretary, Civics Institute of Ireland, intimating that his committee are anxious to discuss with the Housing Committee the work which has been done in Vienna for housing, and asked if the Committee would receive a deputation on the subject.

It was decided that the deputation would be received at the next meeting.

SCHEMES IN HAND.

In a progress report, the Deputy City Manager notified that the 641 four-room houses on the first section of the Cabra area are now practically complete—422 being already occupied, and that tenants are being selected for the remainder; that Messrs. Beckett will be in a position to hand over the 88 houses included in their contract on the first section of the Marrowbone lane area within the next four weeks; that the erection of the 129 three-room cottages, eight two-room cottages, and the reconstruction of eight three-room cottages on the second section of Marrowbone lane (at present in the hands of Messrs. G. and T. Crampton) are rapidly proceeding, and that the work is due for completion in July next.

He also reported that the plans for the 298 flats proposed to be erected on the Hanover street area are at present in the hands of the Ministry for Local Government and Public Health, and now that the latest information with regard to building cost is available, as disclosed by Messrs. Martin's tender for Mary's lane, the conference between the special sub-committee appointed to confer with the representatives of the Ministry and the technical advisers of the Corporation had been fixed for an early day next week, when opportunity will be taken to have standards fixed with regard to detail planning, elevational treatment, and density per acre, etc., for guidance in connection with the preparation of this and future schemes for all central areas. This arrangement has been adopted so that when the statutory procedure and public inquiry into the petition for provisional order have been complied with, the plans and other contract documents for the Hanover street area will be ready for the invitation of tenders.

OTHER AREAS.

The Deputy City Manager also reported that the City Engineer had furnished surveys for the areas in Cook street, Townsend street, Glorney's Buildings and Newfoundland street, and that the preparation of lay-out and house plans would be undertaken as soon as the City Architect is made aware of the standards to be adopted, as a result of the forthcoming conference between the Ministry and the representatives of the Corporation.

The following members were in attendance:—Councillors Thomas Kelly (Chairman), Mrs. Maud Walsh (Vice-Chairman), William O'Connor, W. O'Hara, J. Ryan, S. O'Farrell, J. Costello, P. J. Medlar, L. O'Toole, B. O'Connor, T.D.; D. Coyle, J. Larkin (senior), M. O'Sullivan, P. Caffrey, Sean T. O'Kelly, T.D.; D. Healy, P. J. Cahill, Alderman T. Lawlor.

IRISH POTATOES IN LIVERPOOL.

PURCHASER'S CLAIM FOR DAMAGES.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

LIVERPOOL, Monday.

The condition of part of a consignment of two hundred bags of Irish potatoes sold at Liverpool resulted in a claim for damages for breach of warranty at the Liverpool County Court to-day.

Unable to get supplies for his fish and chip business in Bangor, North Wales, from that district, John William Jones, in July last, travelled sixty miles to Liverpool and bought ten bags of Irish potatoes from John D. Rawline, Ltd., produce merchants. When the potatoes arrived at Bangor three days later they were condemned by the sanitary inspector as unfit even for pig food, and were destroyed.

For the defendants it was urged that no other complaints had been received concerning the quality of the Irish potatoes, and that it might have been to someone's advantage to change the potatoes during the journey from Liverpool to Bangor.

The plaintiff was awarded £5 damages.

OBITUARY.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL T. R. FILGATE.

The death took place yesterday in the Cornelia and East Dorset Hospital, Parkstone, Dorset, of Lieutenant-Colonel Townley Richard Filgate, C.I.E., late of Arthurstown House, Ardee, County Louth.

Colonel Filgate, who had celebrated his sixty-seventh birthday shortly before his death, was educated at Cheltenham College and in France. Going out to India at the age of twenty-three, he served in various military and administrative capacities in North Behar, until he retired in 1919. He served from Trooper to Lieutenant-Colonel, Second in Command, Behar Light Horse. As an indigo planter of over twenty years' standing, he was appointed Secretary of the province's Planters' Association, a position which he held for a period of ten years. Colonel Filgate also represented the planting community in the Behar and Orissa Legislative Council from 1912 until 1916, and was the member, representing the Tirhoot Division District Boards, of the Bengal Legislative Council for several years. For his services he was created a Commander of the Indian Empire. His decorations included the Croix de Chevalier of the Legion of Honour.

CAPTAIN JOHN RUTTLEDGE.

We regret to announce the death, which took place on September 25th, of Captain John Ruttledge, at his residence, 10 Grimston Gardens, Kent, England. Captain Ruttledge, who was sixty-six years of age, was the fourth surviving son of the late Mr. Thomas Ruttledge, D.L., Cornfield, Hollymount, Co. Mayo. Educated at Marlborough College, he entered the Army and served with the King's Own Regiment, retiring with the rank of captain. During the war years he commanded an Observer Company of the Royal Defence Corps, Territorial Force.

MR. E. N. C. BOR.

The death in Dublin on Sunday of Mr. E. N. C. Bor was learned of in Kilkenny with very sincere regret; for he was very popular among all sections of the public. He was for a long period sub-agent of the Bank of Ireland in Kilkenny, and was subsequently agent at Maryborough.

On his retirement from the bank's service many years ago he purchased an extensive residential holding, known as Kilcoran, near Callan, where he carried on business in the raising of live-stock.

There were no persons for trial at the Crown Sessions for Londonderry City yesterday, and Mr. Alwyn S. Craig, Under Sheriff, on behalf of Sir Basil McFarland, Bart., City High Sheriff, presented Judge Osborne, the Recorder, with white gloves.

GUINNESS' FIRST-CLASS CLERKSHIPS.

At the last Exam. 4 of the 5 Appointments were gained by ROSSE COLLEGE, Stephen's Gn. Principal: A. Sparkhall Brown, B.Sc., (Lond.)—(Advt.).

Mushroom Scarcity.

NATURE'S SHORTCOMINGS.

NATURE has not been doing her work. We are just ending the period of the year when mushrooms are usually plentiful, yet this year they have been remarkable for their scarcity.

The season has been a bad one. In ordinary years mushrooms become abundant in the fields from towards the end of August, and continue in plenty until the end of September. The weather that has prevailed, however, has been altogether unfavourable to their growth. The mushroom must have moisture and it must have heat, and misty mornings, with a warm air, that are a feature of the late summer, are specially conducive to growth; but all this September the atmosphere has been chill, and thus has been caused the remarkable scarcity.

TOADSTOOLS INSTEAD.

Suppliers tell that even when they did endeavour to meet demands, consumers complained that they received many toadstools in their consignments.

It is stated that the scarcity has not increased prices because of the full supplies of forced or hothouse mushrooms. Field mushrooms were sold from 1s. to 1s. 6d. per punnet, which would be about six ounces weight were they sold that way, while the forced mushroom has been selling at from 4s. 6d. to 6s. per lb.

The forced mushroom trade is well organised, and supplies are regular for the most part of the year.

NO INCREASE IN PRICES.

It was stated by a man in a large way of business in the vegetable trade that one of the reasons why mushrooms did not go up in price in this period of scarcity was that, the mushroom being of the luxury type in edibles, and people in these anomalous times having taken to the habit of cutting down luxuries, the demand for mushrooms fell off to the extent that prices remained normal.

One of the principal greengrocers in Dublin stated that he had not seen a field mushroom in his shop this season.

THE FREE STATE RAILWAYS.

WATERFORD PLEA FOR HELP.

FREEDOM ENJOYED BY THE OMNIBUSES.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

WATERFORD, Monday.

A STRONG plea for the railways in the Free State was made by Mr. M. Cassin, ex-President of the Waterford Chamber of Commerce, at the statutory general meeting of that body to-day.

The matter arose out of a discussion on the proposed closing of the Waterford and Tramore line, which the President of the Chamber, Mr. W. C. Mercer, said was a serious matter for the business people of Waterford and Tramore.

Mr. Mercer said that it was hard to get to the bottom of the fact as to whether the railway company proposed to close the local line during the winter, but he did not think that they would do so this year, as they had already issued the winter time-table.

LOSING MONEY.

Mr. Cassin, dealing with the railway question in general, said that it was common knowledge that the railways of the Free State were not paying, and were in the invidious position of losing money. They must look ahead farther than the Tramore line in regard to the Irish railways, and see what policy could be adopted to keep the railways in every part of the Free State open. They were aware that the railway companies had closed down lines in some parts of the Free State, because they could not continue running at a loss. Railway companies had to build and repair lines of rail, and to maintain a big staff. Road companies, with whom they were in competition, could use the roads maintained by the ratepayers, and were under no obligation to the public, except in so far as what he would call third-party risk. They could take what they liked, and refuse what they liked, and could start or stop where they pleased.

The railway companies, on the other hand, must accept merchandise of 1,000 tons or a parcel of 1lb. weight if offered, because they were bound by statutory regulations in that respect.

There must, he said, be some co-ordination between road and rail traffic for the benefit of the public at large, and the only means of effecting that was by the formation of a strong public opinion.

Mr. W. E. Jacob said that the time was rapidly approaching when road transport would have to be put under some form of legislative control.

CAVAN AND LEITRIM LINE.

A PROTEST AGAINST CLOSING.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

CARRICK-ON-SHANNON, Monday.

The Very Rev. Canon McCabe, P.P., V.F., presided at a public meeting of protest in Drumshanbo against the proposed closing down of the Cavan and Leitrim section of the Great Southern Railways line, which serves such important areas in South Leitrim as Mohill, Ballinamore and Drumshanbo.

He said that a strong protest should go forth to the heads of the Government to interfere in the matter and see that the Great Southern Railways would not have a free hand in the closing down of this important line, which was so vital to the farmers and traders of the county. Their seven T.D.'s should be asked to approach the Government and see that this move was not carried. These T.D.'s seldom came among them; but he excepted Mr. Ben Maguire (Fianna Fail T.D., who was present), who, he said, had always taken a personal interest in his native county.

Canon McCabe proposed a resolution, which was seconded by Mr. James Mulvey, and carried, calling upon all the T.D.'s representing the Sligo-Leitrim constituency to take urgent action to safeguard the railway facilities in the guaranteed area of Leitrim, as the meeting considered that the closing of this line would have a most injurious effect on the development of the Arigna mining industry. It would also impose increased taxation on the ratepayers as a result of the diminution of the present taxable value, and further impose an increased cost regarding the transit of cattle and heavy goods, and displace a large number of workers.

Mr. Ben Maguire, T.D., also addressed the meeting.

PROGRESS OF KINGSFORD SMITH.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

KARACHI, Monday.

Air Commodore Kingsford Smith, who is trying to establish a new "record" for the flight from Australia to England, arrived here at 11.15 this morning from Jhansi, and left for Jask (560 miles) at 1.30 p.m.

MAY VISIT DUBLIN.

It is hoped that Air Commodore Kingsford Smith may visit Ireland before starting on his homeward trip.

Before making his flight to Australia last year in the Southern Cross Junior he said that next time he visited Europe he would come to Ireland personally to thank everybody who assisted him before the trans-Atlantic flight of the Southern Cross.

Captain J. P. Saul, who accompanied Kingsford Smith on that flight, has just returned from America, and will probably go to Croydon to welcome his colleague.

IRISH GRANDFATHER OF TWO COUNTESSES.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

OTTAWA, Monday.

The death is announced to-day of Mr. Dominick Daly O'Meara, the grandfather of the Countess of Minto and the Countess of Haddington, at the age of 91.

Mr. O'Meara was an Inspector of Customs for Quebec Province. His son is Colonel .. S. O'Meara, the Chairman of the Quebec Harbour Commission.

IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

GOVERNMENT AND FOOD PRICES.

COST OF LIVING AND THE "CUTS."

THE ROAD SCHEMES.

FROM OUR PARLIAMENTARY CORRESPONDENT.

WESTMINSTER, Monday.

THERE was a big attendance of members of all parties in the House of Commons this afternoon in expectation that the Prime Minister would make a statement regarding a possible general election. It became apparent, however, when Mr. Henderson put a question on the course of business, that there would be no sensation. The Prime Minister said that if Mr. Henderson would repeat the question on Wednesday he would be in a position to give him a definite reply.

The Prime Minister, in answer to a question, said that the Government was in daily touch with importers, manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers of the staple articles of food, and they had expressed their desire to co-operate in preventing exploitation of the present situation, and were giving valuable assistance. In view of that he hoped that there would be no outbreak of exploitation, but, if necessity should arise, the Government would not hesitate to seek adequate powers.

ECONOMY BILL.

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT.

When the Economy Bill was further considered in Committee, Mr. Shinwell resumed the debate on Mr. T. Johnston's amendment to exempt unemployment insurance from the proposed "cuts." The Labour Party, he said, objected to all the "cuts," but no "cut" was so deeply resented by the workers as the unemployment benefit "cut." It affected, not a few thousand, but a vast mass of the population. It was false economy.

Mr. Harris (Liberal member for Bethnal Green) said that even though the proposed "cut" decreased the purchasing power of the people affected, it might be safer to keep the present Government in office. It would be quite another story, however, if tariffs were imposed, because they would add still further to the cost of living, and it behoved all Liberals who were still Free Traders to obtain an assurance from the Prime Minister that it was not his intention to take such a course.

Two Bristol members who followed approached the subject from widely divergent standpoints. While Mr. Alpass (Labour) characterised the Government's proposals as inhuman, monstrous, unjust and wasteful, Mr. Culverwell, who sits as Conservative for Bristol West, contested the argument that it was the object of unemployment benefit to secure full maintenance. It was intended as a subsistence, and all the talk about purchasing-power was quite beside the point.

Mr. H. F. Owen (Liberal, Hereford) taunted Liberal Ministers with having subscribed to a reversal of the policy with regard to unemployment on which they were returned to Parliament.

When shortly after seven o'clock Sir Henry Betterton rose to reply, Mr. Scrymgeour, the Independent member for Dundee, intervened with the complaint that he had not been given an opportunity for calling attention to the state of affairs in his constituency, where the proposals of the Government had given rise to riots.

COST OF LIVING.

Sir Henry Betterton, ignoring the interruption, referred to the criticisms of the Prime Minister's broadcast speech, in which he stated that even after the proposed "cut" in unemployment benefit, the recipients would be better off than they were in 1930 as a result of the fall in the cost of living. It had been argued that no allowance had been made for the increase of rents through decontrol, but his reply to that was that since 1928 decontrolled rents had been taken into account. He did not, however, regard the present method of fixing the cost of living as sacrosanct, and he was looking into it. The amounts required to-day to give the same purchasing power as in 1924 would be 15s. 3d. for a single man, 12s. 8½d. for a single woman, and 22s. 11d. for a man with wife and two children. Under the present proposals 18s. would be given for a single man, or six per cent. more than the 16s. given in the case of a single woman in 1924, and 19 per cent. more than the 27s. given for a man and wife and two children in the same year.

Mr. Scrymgeour, who spoke amid considerable interruption, said that the Prime Minister and the Chancellor of the Exchequer had deliberately played the game until it suited them to dish the Labour Party and go over to the enemy.

On a division the amendment was rejected by 296 votes to 243. Government majority, 53.

An amendment, moved by Mr. Parkinson, to omit the provision for economy "cuts" in regard to road schemes in Pybus, the Minister of Transport said that he had to reduce the anticipated expenditure of the Road Fund by nearly eight millions, and, in addition, he was required to effect considerable savings in the coming financial year. As a result of economies which local authorities would be able to make it was believed that seven millions could be saved.

The amendment was rejected, and the Committee stage was concluded.

IRISH AIRMAN'S PLANS.

DUBLIN TO TRICHINOPOLY FLIGHT.

Mr. G. A. Barron-Boshell, who is to make a solo flight from Dublin to Trichinopoly in December, told an *Irish Times* representative that he is going to London this week to discuss the purchase of a light aeroplane for the flight. He has not quite decided on the type, but the machine will be equipped with extra petrol tanks in order that he may fly long distances without alighting.

Mr. Boshell said that he was not going to attempt to break any "records," but would leave Baldonnel early in December. He is due to return to Trichinopoly, where he is an officer of the Ceylon Government, in January. After flying to Trichinopoly he intends to fly to Colombo to meet the boat on which his wife and baby will return from Ireland, and he will then fly them both to India.

Mr. Boshell is at present gaining experience of cross-country flying with the Irish Aero Club, and visited Limerick in one of the club machines last Saturday.

Motoring Accident.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

DUNDALK, Monday.

A collision between a motor car and a motor milk van, the drivers of which were uncle and nephew, took place on the Avenue road, near Dundalk, this morning. Mr. Patrick Corcoran was driving his milk van from a by-road to the main Blackrock road when his vehicle came into collision with Mr. John Corcoran's car, which was proceeding towards Blackrock. The motor car somersaulted and was flung on its side into the ditch, badly damaged and with the top broken off. The milk van was reduced almost to matchwood, being thrown into a laneway with the force of the collision. Mr. Patrick Corcoran, and an assistant, were lucky to escape serious injury. Mr. John Corcoran, after being removed from the motor car, was found to be suffering from cuts and bruises, and was taken to a house on the roadside.

Mrs. Rita von Sternberg, wife of Josef von Sternberg, film director, is suing Marlene Dietrich, the German film star, for alienation of her husband's affections, which she values at £100,000, and she is claiming a further £20,000 (says Reuter, from New York) for libel, founded on an alleged interview. The film star denies the allegations.

Sir Hubert Wilkins has left Bergen for Newcastle (says Reuter). The submarine Nautilus will be laid up pending a final decision by the American authorities.

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ROUND-TABLE CONFERENCE.

DELEGATES' VIEWS IN LONDON.

THE CONSEQUENCES OF FAILURE.

PANDIT MOHUN MALAVIYA, a Nationalist delegate to the Indian Round-Table Conference, addressing the Indian Students' Central Association in London last night, said:—"The issue is so great, and the consequences of the failure of the Conference would be so disastrous, both to India and Great Britain, that I do not like to contemplate it.

"If our efforts here to obtain what we desire should fail, there will be a strong movement—an all-India wide movement—for the non-payment of taxes, bitterness, hatred of everything English, and a desire to boycott everything British would follow. England will soon have to give India what is her due. It would be far better if England did it gracefully."

NO HOPE OF SUCCESS.

Mr. V. J. Patel, who presided, said that he had no hope for the success of the Conference. Instead of dealing with fundamental facts, and coming to grips with the main question, "What is the British Government prepared to offer India?" the wise men of the East and West had been wasting their time dealing with details.

Mr. Gandhi arrived in London early yesterday by the Manchester night express, and drove from Euston to Kingsley Hall, his quarters at Bow.

He was met by his son, four of his friends, and a large force of police.

Mr. Gandhi observed his usual Monday silence.

When the silence period had ended he paid an after-dinner visit to the Ritz Hotel last night as the guest of the Aga Khan, and there discussed with the majority of the Moslem delegates the problem of India's minorities.

Mr. Gandhi and the Aga Khan agreed to be photographed, but before it was taken the Aga Khan insisted that Mrs. Naidu, the Indian poetess, should come into the picture. "You represent the womanhood of India," he said, and they were all photographed together.

FARMING IN THE FREE STATE.

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EFFECTS OF THE WEATHER.

"The weather," he declared, "has aggravated the position here. It has been very unfavourable this year, and it has made it necessary to employ more men, because there have been times when work could only be carried out on three days out of six. If we had had a summer with less rain things might have been a bit more hopeful.

"But the chief cause is the extremely low price for every kind of produce. There is a horse-breeding industry in this county, but that trade has gone. There is no demand for horses now, except troop horses. A couple of foreign Governments have been buying those in the last few months, but the price is low—only about £30. Around Enniscorthy there is a barley growing district, and that is doing badly.

"There are no creameries here, but in the summer a certain amount of butter is sold in the towns and seaside places. In the winter, however, there is very little produced. The restrictions on butter exporting, which allow only licensed undertakings to export, has caused great hardship to those farmers who had a market across the water, many of whom were producing butter every bit as good as that of the creameries.

"The stoppage of beet growing, which was a fairly large industry here, has caused further hardship. At last year's prices beet was a paying crop, but that has gone now, and there is nothing to take its place.

QUESTION OF TARIFFS.

"There should certainly be a tariff on bacon, and prohibition of the import of foreign oats. We are producing more oats than would be sufficient for this country without importing, and at the present time it is cheaper to buy them than to grow them."

To my suggestion that it might be worth while to give up growing them and concentrate entirely on live-stock, thus benefiting from the cheap feeding stuffs, Mr. Doyle responded that very few classes of stock would do all through the winter. "And if our land goes out of tillage," he demanded, "what is to happen to the poor farm labourer? He is having a hard enough time as it is.

"The cost of labour is more than double what it was before the war. Then I got men for ten shillings a week. Now they cost between twenty and twenty-five shillings. And they have a struggle, of course, on that."

Mr. Doyle is not a believer in green vegetable growing. There was no market for them, he declared positively. With regard to potatoes, he said that there had been good crops this year, where the blight had not affected them, but while the retailers were selling them at 1s. 4d. a stone, the farmers were getting through their co-operative organisations only £5 a ton.

"One thing that will help us, if it comes," he said, "is tariff reform in England, with taxes on food, and preference on Empire products. That seems to be coming nearer, but apart from that I see no hopeful sign. The situation has no bright side."

FRENCH DEMAND PAY ON GOLD BASIS.

DISPUTE WITH SOUTH WALES MERCHANTS.

The pitwood trade between France and South Wales is virtually at a stand-still as a result of a dispute as to the basis of payment. The Welsh importers hold that the payment should be made on the sterling basis, according to contract, but most of the French exporters have refused to load cargoes unless payment is made on the gold standard basis.

Yesterday the Cardiff Chamber of Trade supported the action of the Cardiff and Bristol Channel Pitwood Importers' Association in refusing to depart from the terms of contracts which have already been entered into.

So far there is no shortage of pitwood in the South Wales coalfields, but the continuation of the dispute might have serious consequences.

RENT REDUCTION TO BE ENFORCED.

BILL INTRODUCED IN NEW SOUTH WALES.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

SYDNEY, Monday.

The compulsory reduction of all rents is provided for in a draft bill which has been approved by the Cabinet of New South Wales. It is understood that the bill will provide for a reduction of 22½ per cent. in the case of rents which have not already been reduced in consequence of the depression.

THE ATLANTIC FLEET.

It is officially announced that Admiral Sir J. D. Kelly, K.C.B., is to be Commander-in-Chief of the Atlantic Fleet, in succession to Admiral Sir M. H. Hodges, K.C.B., C.M.G., M.V.O., to date October 6.

IN THE NORTHERN PARLIAMENT.

PLANS CHANGED ON ELECTION HINT.

COMPLETING BUSINESS AT ONCE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Monday.

THE Northern Parliament is to proceed immediately with the remainder of the business of the autumn session, and will complete it as soon as possible.

This change of plans has been decided on in view of the possibility of an early general election in Great Britain and Northern Ireland for the Parliament at Westminster.

Originally it was intended that, after a brief meeting to-morrow to complete the emergency legislation necessary to bring about unemployment and health insurance economies similar to Britain's, the House should adjourn until late in October. Instead, subsequent to the announcement of the Royal assent to the Economy Bill,

MR. DEVLIN'S FIRST ACT.

Mr. Joseph Devlin, the leader of the Nationalist Opposition group, will move the second reading of the Wild Birds' Protection Bill. This private member's bill has already been passed by the Senate, through which it was piloted last session by Mr. T. J. Campbell, K.C. It is expected that it will go through the House more or less as an agreed measure, and Mr. Devlin will have the distinction of sponsoring his first measure to the Statute Book of the Northern Parliament.

At 4.30 the motion of Mr. J. Beattie calling upon the Government to pass legislation reducing standard rents on all controlled houses by at least 10 per cent., and amending the Rent Acts so as to bring under control all houses below £26 valuation and have a fair rent fixed, will be discussed.

On Wednesday the House will go into Committee on the money resolution authorising the raising of the limit on the amount which may be borrowed by the Unemployment Fund to £2,600,000, and the extension of the transitional benefit period. Other business for Wednesday includes the second readings of the Education Bill and the Workmen's Compensation Bill, and the consideration of the Senate's amendments to the Planning and Housing Bill.

Thursday's business will comprise the Finance Bill and the Committee stages of the bills previously mentioned.

TRAINING COLLEGE QUESTIONS.

There will be a formal sitting of the Senate to-morrow to receive the Royal assent to the Economy Bill and to give a second reading to a divorce bill.

For Thursday's sitting, Mr. T. J. Campbell, K.C., has put down several questions relating to educational matters. He is to ask whether, in respect of the three training colleges for elementary school teachers—Stranmillis, St. Mary's, Middlesex, and St. Mary's, Belfast—the Government, in addition to the capitation grant per student, defray the entire overhead charges of Stranmillis in the way of buildings, interest, maintenance and repairs; whether these charges amount to about £20 a year per student, or a total of over £5,000 a year; whether the Government defray any overhead charges of St. Mary's, Middlesex, or any overhead charges of St. Mary's, Belfast; whether the Government are under liability to liquidate till 1935 a financial responsibility to St. Mary's College, Belfast, undertaken by the Imperial Government in 1911; whether the Government employ and pay clergymen of Presbyterian, Episcopalian and Methodist Churches to give religious catechetical instruction to students at Stranmillis and conduct religious Services there at special times during the day; whether the Government make any corresponding provision in the case of the other two colleges; whether it is, or may be, the duty of the principal of Stranmillis to give simple Bible teaching; whether the Committee of Management of eight at Stranmillis was exclusively Protestant; whether five of its members were members of the Presbyterian Board of Education; and whether the Government contribute any sum in aid of the grant made by the Free State Government each year towards the training of Protestant teachers in Kildare Place Training College, Dublin.

Mr. Campbell also has on the paper questions relating to transferred schools and other administration.

POWERS TO PREVENT "PROFITEERING."

RESOLUTION BY DUBLIN TRADES UNION COUNCIL.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Dublin Trades Union Council, held at the Labour Hall, Lower Gardiner street, Mr. W. P. Greene moved:—

"That we, the members of the Executive Committee of the Trades Union Council, call on the Government to set up a properly constituted authority endowed with legal powers to prevent "profiteers" taking advantage of the present financial crisis, and to so arrange that, whilst securing the support and protection of Irish manufactured goods, prevent the consumers being mulcted by grasping individuals desiring to take advantage of the position to get rich quick.

"That we claim the right of representing the buyer on any authority set up to deal with this question."

Mr. S. M. O'Duffy seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

Rate Collectorship.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

DUNDALK, Monday.

A keen race for the position of rate collector in Louth, which has created much interest in the county, was re-run in Dundalk this morning. Three weeks ago, by one vote, Mr. Charles K. Reilly was elected to the position, defeating Mr. Frank Morgan. The Free State Local Government Department refused to sanction the appointment on the ground that Mr. Reilly was engaged in the retail trade, and a fresh election was ordered. This morning there were twenty-eight members in attendance. There were four candidates, but one received no votes, another only received one, and the race lay between the old candidates, Messrs. Reilly and Morgan. Mr. Reilly won by fifteen votes to twelve for Mr. Morgan.

Mr. Patrick McGuinness said that if a candidate who had already been turned down was now sanctioned it was turning the Local Government Act into a farce.

Labour Trouble.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Monday.

There was some trouble this morning outside several flour mills in Belfast between members of the Irish Transport Workers' Union and carters from outside the city who are not members of the Union. The Transport workers declared that they would stop carting supplies from the quay to the mills if carters not members of the Union were supplied with flour or maize. A number of carters had to return home without supplies.

Funeral of Parish Priest.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

DUNDALK, Monday.

There was a large attendance of clergy and laity at the funeral to-day in Tallanstown of the Rev. William Butterly, parish priest, whose death caused great regret in Louth and adjoining counties.

In the church at Tallanstown this morning a Solemn Requiem Mass was celebrated by the Rev. J. Maguire, P.P., Louth, the deacon being the Rev. P. McKevitt, C.C., Ardee, and sub-deacon the Rev. E. Rice, C.C., Dunleer, and master of ceremonies the Rev. H. Tohall, Adm., Dundalk. The chanters were the Rev. C. O'Neill, C.C., Dundalk, and the Rev. P. Doris, C.C., Mell. Cardinal MacRory presided at the High Mass.

The interment took place afterwards in the cemetery attached to the church.

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IRISH RACE-GOER

SIAM'S SOLDIER PRINCE : THE KASHMIR RIOTS.

PRINCE TAKES UP SOLDIERING—Lieutenant Svasti Pradisch, a brother of the King of Siam, is studying American military methods. In camp at Humphreys, Va., U.S.A.

SCENE OF RECENT RIOTS—A typical Kashmir house in Srinagar City, where serious rioting took place recently.

HERALD OF AUTUMN—A workman burning fallen leaves in the Phœnix Park, Dublin.

A STRANGE OCCUPATION—An Italian bird-fancier, with the owls, which have to attract the song birds, on the way to his "work."

TENNIS PLAYER'S ENGAGEMENT—A new photograph of Mr. H. W. Austin, one of England's foremost tennis players, and Miss Phyllis Konstan, the film actress, who are to be married at Hampstead on November 14th next. They met for the first time on a voyage to New York.

Spoon-feeding the Polar bears at the Dublin "Zoo."

IRISH RACE-GOERS—Lady Brooke, with her son and daughter, George and Alma, and Mrs. G. F. Dunne (right), at a recent Irish race meeting.

MARCH TO CENOTAPH—Piper Laidlaw led sons of soldiers who fought at the battle of Loos in a march to the Cenotaph, Whitehall, London, on Sunday. Here he is seen with his son, Victor Loos, named after the famous battle, who is placing a wreath on the Cenotaph.

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CALL OF THE EMPIRE.

HOW NEW ZEALAND HAS DEVELOPED.

75 PER CENT. OF HER IMPORTS BRITISH.

Mr. Arthur Hyder, son of a former member of the Club, and now engaged in the insurance business in New Zealand, gave the Dublin Rotary Club, at its luncheon meeting yesterday, an interesting description of the rise and progress of that far distant country. Mr. Kevin J. Kenny, president of the Club, presided.

Mr. Hyder said that in recent years we had been making gold our God. The Empire to-day was "up against it," so that the present time was a time for clear thinking and quick action. Self-preservation, he said, demanded that each unit of the Empire should not forget that charity began at home.

MORE COWS THAN PEOPLE.

Mr. Arthur Hyder.

New Zealand had an area of 63 million acres, of which 43 millions were occupied. It was as big as England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland put together, and its population was approximately 1,500,000, including 67,000 Maoris. Wellington, the capital, had a population of 160,000, and there were thirty other cities and towns with a population of from a couple of thousand to about 30,000.

Climatically, New Zealand was one of the healthiest countries in the world. There were three political parties—the Reform (or Conservative), the United (or Liberal) and the Labour Party. In recent years road and railway transport had developed to a remarkable degree. There were 220,000 registered motor cars in the country, and the railways extended to 3,300 miles.

Their exports in normal years amounted to £50,000,000. Their main exports were butter, cheese and wool. The number of cows exceeded the number of the population, and there were over 29,000,000 sheep.

Their imports were generally a few millions less than their exports: 75 per cent. of their imports came from the British.

Of the population, 94 per cent. were British, one per cent. foreign, three per cent. came from Ireland, and the remainder were Maoris.

LOWEST DEATH-RATE.

Housing schemes were being carried out under terms and conditions most favourable to the working classes, who would become owners of the dwellings in thirty-five years. Electrical equipment was part and parcel of every house.

The death-rate was about 33 per thousand, which statistics showed to be the lowest in the world; and the death-rate of babies under twelve years was eight per thousand.

In conclusion, Mr. Hyder said that he had returned to Dublin after an absence of eighteen years, and he was pleased to see the development that had taken place in Dublin and its suburbs. He was also pleased to see that the authorities of the city were tackling the slums; for the suburbs of Dublin had undoubted potentialities.

On the motion of Mr. Charles McConnell, seconded by Mr. Harold Aylward, a vote of thanks was given to Mr. Hyder.

SUCCESS OF CONFERENCE.

The President congratulated the members of the Club on the success of their efforts in making the annual district conference of last week the happy success that it was from all points of view.

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CENTURY POTTERY, 810, Burslem, Staffs. Est. 1903.

Two motor cyclists were killed in a head-on collision near Salford School, about a mile and a half from Redhill, yesterday. They were George S. C. Allan, of "Batcheloors," Outwood, near Redhill, and Leslie A. Clayton, of High street, Reigate. Allan was driving from his home towards Redhill and Clayton was travelling southwards, and they met at a fork in the road. Both men were thrown from their cycles and killed on the spot.

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LISTOWEL OPENING.

EAST GALWAY TO RUN AT POPULAR SOUTHERN MEETING.

Train—Kingsbridge, 7 a.m.

IN recent years the annual three days' meeting at Listowel has become one of the most popular meetings in the South of Ireland, and the executive, alive to the requirements of their patrons, have made many improvements on the course, and erected a commodious stand and enclosure. The enterprise of running the meeting over three days has well repaid them, and now the fixture draws huge crowds on all three days.

There will be plenty of runners for the majority of the races on the opening day's card, and the presence in the field for the Listowel Plate of the crack steeplechaser. East Galway, should be a big attraction. His task here appears a light one, as in a handicap he would have to meet his three likely opponents on much more unfavourable terms.

There is material for a very fine race for the Castleisland Steeplechase, for which thirteen runners have been declared. Croppy Queen and Old Fella look the pick of the lot, and the latter, who fell at Limerick when he looked to have the beating of Battle of Killiecrankie and Royal Ambassador, may now make amends. He is a very promising four years old. Selections:—

Ladies' Plate—**Captured Late.**
Listowel Plate—**East Galway.**
Ballybunion Plate—**Grange Lass.**
Castleisland Plate—**Old Fella.**
Limerick City Plate—**Opalia.**

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TWOFOLD (Mr. T. J. Taaffe) ... Owner 6 11 7
ALONE (Sir E. Goff) .... Ryan 5 11 3
OLD FRENCH (Mr. John O'Sullivan) Owner 5 11 3
LITTLE DAVID (Mr. C. Croker) H. Harty 4 10 7
IRON BLUE (Mr. N. Keays) Lombard 5 10 7
SONNY BOY (Mr. P. J. Lenehan) Owner 6 10 7
NOT MANY (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 4 10 7
CAPTURED LATE (Mr. O. T. V. Slocock) Owner 4 10 7
BRIAN (Mr. M. Cunningham) Owner a 10 7
MOUNTAIN HEATHER (Mr. G. M. Smith) .... Owner 4 10 7
TRIGGER TRICKS (Mr. W. W. Ashe) Owner 4 10 2
ARDLIAMOGE (Major S. L. Slocock) Slocock 4 10 2

Above are declared runners.

20 HOPEFUL BILL. Unplaced with 10-0 to Regained (9-9), Baldoyle September 26 (1m. 1f. 80 yds.).

02 TWOFOLD. Carried 12-2 when beaten ½l. by Puca Orda (10-13), Limerick September (1½m. hurdles). Brian (10-5) was fourth of 7. See Little David.

00 ALONE. Unplaced with 8-9 to Queen of Essex (8-9), Curragh September (6f. 63yds.). Unplaced with 9-6 to Glandore (8-11), Phœnix Park September (1m.).

23 OLD FRENCH. Carried 10-0 when beaten 5l., 2l. by White Mixture (10-3) and Jurat (10-13), Curragh April, 1930 (1½m. hurdles). Carried 10-7 when beaten 2l. by Greenly Island (10-7), Powerstown Park April, 1930 (1½m. hurdles).

22 LITTLE DAVID. Carried 12-0 when beaten 1½l. by Fairy Wings (10-9), Limerick September (1½m. hurdles). Twofold (12-0) threw his rider at the start. Carried 11-12 when beaten ½l. by Matador (11-7), Miltown Malbay (1½m. hurdles).

03 IRON BLUE. Carried 10-4 when beaten 2l., same by Solennis (9-7) and Active Anne (10-7), Miltown Malbay (1½m. flat). Unplaced with 11-2 to Rob Roy (11-2), Tramore August (1½m. hurdles).

0 SONNY BOY. Carried 10-7 when fifth of 7 to Calendio (9-2), Leopardstown August (1½m. hurdles).

03 NOT MANY. Carried 7-12 when beaten ½l., 5l. by Rada (8-10) and Runaway Jack (10-0), Curragh September (1m.). Unplaced with 10-4 to Betty R. (10-8), Tramore August (1½m. hurdles).

01 CAPTURED LATE. Carried 11-3 when winning 2½l., short head, from Sheevra Beg (11-0) and Betty R. (11-4), Limerick September (2m. hurdles).

00 BRIAN. See Twofold.

10 MOUNTAIN HEATHER. Unplaced with 8-9 to Boundary (10-7), Limerick September (1½m. flat). Carried 10-0 when winning ½l., 10l., from Rob Roy (10-9) and Black Monday (11-11), Miltown Malbay (2m. flat).

33 ARDLIAMOGE. Carried 9-7 when beaten 4l., 2l., by Sir Jonah (8-7) and Camelot Halls (8-7), Proudstown Park September (1½m. flat). Carried 9-10 when beaten 3l., 1l., by The Blackmith (8-12) and Olive's Pride (8-12), Tramore August (1½m.).

2.30—LISTOWEL PLATE of 70 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. A weight for age steeplechase. 3 m. Age st. lb.

EAST GALWAY (Mr. J. S. Shepherd) Arnott a 12 9
REDCAR (Mr. J. C. Ryan) ......Owner a 12 0
BALLYGORTHA (Mr. P. J. Leonard) Owner 5 11 5
KILBRONAN PRIDE (Miss M. Phelan) Phelan 6 10 11

Above are declared runners.

13 EAST GALWAY. Carried 12-12 when beaten 1l. 1½l. by Koscie's Star (11-2) and Schomvenir (9-9), Leopardstown September (3m. 100 yds. 'chase). Carried 12-7 when winning 3l., 4l. from Midkin (10-0) and Fatherland (10-10), Mallow August (3m. 'chase).

21 REDCAR. Carried 12-10 when winning 6l., 5l., from Queen of the Feast (10-2) and Bonnie Braes (11-0), Limerick September (3m. 'chase). Carried 11-5 when beaten 2½l. by Bonny le Var (10-0), Limerick September (3m. 'chase).

23 BALLYGORTHA. Carried 11-12 when beaten 2l., 12l., by Gentle Lady (9-10) and Garryshane (11-0), Miltown Malbay (3m. 'chase). Carried 11-3 when beaten 7l. by Sea Fisher (11-12), Ballinrobe September (3m. 'chase).

20 KILBRONAN PRIDE. Carried 9-7 (pulled up) in race won by Waitress (9-13), Tramore August (2m. 'chase). Carried 11-7 when beaten 20l. by Seaview (11-7), Tramore August (2m. 'chase).

3.0—BALLYBUNION PLATE of 60 sovs. Second 7 sovs., third 3 sovs. A flat race for three years old and upwards that have not won a race under any rules. 1½ m. Age st. lb.

RATH GOILIN (Major G. O. M. Furnell) H. Harty 3 8 12
FLAHERTY'S BEST (Mr. G. Harty) Owner 3 8 12
GRANGE LASS (Mr. B. Kirby) ...Owner 3 8 12
MAB (Mr. T. P. O'Neill) ....Clarke 3 8 12
PHANTOM SHADE (Mr. E. O'Sullivan) Farrell 4 9 12
JACK O' GLEN (Mr. B. M. Slocock) Slocock 3 8 12
SONBRICK (Mrs. W. Smyth) ...Sweeney 4 9 12

Above are declared runners.

0 RATH GOILIN. Unplaced with 9-2 to Solennis (9-7) Miltown Malbay Sept. (1½m.).

03 FLAHERTY'S BEST. Carried 8-2 when beaten 2l., 3l. by Arab Man (8-7) and Lebanon (8-2) Mallow Aug. (1m. 1f.).

23 GRANGE LASS. Carried 8-12 when beaten ¾l., 4l. by Grecian Glen (8-12) and Shady Lane (8-12) Limerick Junction Sept. (1m. 1f.). Carried 8-7 when beaten 2l. by Lebanon (8-7) Limerick Junction July (1m. 1f.).

00 MAB. Unplaced with 10-7 to Swift Agnes (12-5) Leopardstown Sept. (1½m.).

00 PHANTOM SHADE. Carried 8-13 when fourth of 8 to Regained (9-9) Baldoyle Sept. 26 (1m. 1f. 80 yds.). Unplaced with 9-7 to Sir Jonah (8-7) Proudstown Park Sept. (1½m.).

22 JACK O' GLEN. Carried 8-4 when beaten ¾l. by Dusky Chief (7-0) Curragh Sept. (7f.). Carried 8-5 when beaten 6l. by Brown Ball (8-5) Phœnix Park Sept. (1m.).

00 SONBRICK. Unplaced with 9-9 to Sahabelle (10-9) Limerick Sept. (2m.).

3.30—CASTLEISLAND PLATE of 50 sovs. Second 5 sovs. A steeplechase for maidens at entry. 2 m. Age st. lb.

TANGEROO (Mr. R. Cargill) ...Leonard 6 12 0
CROPPY QUEEN (Mr. C. J. Wall) Arnott 5 11 10
BLUE SMOKE II. (Mr. D. Noonan) Curran 6 11 7
HOPEFUL BILL (Mr. C. A. Rogers) Owner 6 11 7
SAFETY ACT (Mr. H. M. Ryan) ...Ryan a 11 7
HALF-A-GUINEA (Mr. J. Tonson Rye) Perry a 11 7
AHABURN (Mr. D. P. O'Brien) Owner 5 11 3
STOKESFIELD (Mr. M. J. O'Leary) Nunan 5 11 3
SUPERPLANE (Mr. D. J. Cogan) Magee 5 11 3
POLEDIP (Miss M. M'Donnell) M'Donnell 5 11 3
ASSURANCE (Mr. M. Hayes) ...Keating 4 11 0
OLD FELLA (Mr. C. Croker) H. Harty 4 10 7
NEWCOMER (Mr. J. P. Hogan) Owner 4 10 7

Above are declared runners.

10 TANGEROO. Unplaced with 9-9 to Silver Greyhound (11-1) Leopardstown Sept. (2m. 175 yds. 'chase). Carried 11-2 when winning short head, ¾l. from Yes or No (10-10) and Black Gold (12-1) Proudstown Park Sept. (1½m. hurdles).

13 CROPPY QUEEN. Carried 10-13 when beaten 1l., 1½l. by Essexhall (12-7) and Opalia (11-2) Baldoyle Sept. 26 (1m. 7f. flat). Carried 11-7 when winning 25l., 12l. from Roseate Dawn (11-7) and Gomar (11-0) Proudstown Park Sept. (2m. 'chase).

00 BLUE SMOKE II. Carried 10-0 when fourth of 6 to Brights Hill (10-5) Tramore May (2m. 'chase).

20 HOPEFUL BILL. See Ladies' Plate.

00 SAFETY ACT. See Newcomer, Old Fella and Assurance.

0 HALF A GUINEA. See Old Fella.

10 AHABURN. See Newcomer and Old Fella. Carried 11-10 when winning 20l., short head from Newcomer (10-9) and Cicerone (11-0) Limerick Junction Sept. (2m. flat).

00 STOKESFIELD. See Newcomer and Old Fella.

02 SUPERPLANE. Carried 11-3 when beaten 60l. by Ballygortha (10-12) Proudstown Park March (2m. 'chase).

00 POLEDIP. Unplaced with 10-0 to Hearfy Lad (11-9) Limerick Sept. (2m. 200 yds. 'chase).

31 ASSURANCE. Carried 10-0 when winning 1l., ¾l. from Old Fella (9-9) and Poledrop (10-0), Miltown Malbay (2m. 'chase). Carried 10-0 when beaten 6l., 12l. by Seaview (12-7) and A.P. (12-0), Powerstown Park, August (2¼m. 'chase). Carried 10-5 when beaten 1½l. by Hearty Lad (11-9), with Old Fella (10-0) 2l. behind, Tramore August (2m. 'chase). Safety Act (11-9) was unplaced.

20 OLD FELLA. See Assurance and Newcomer. Carried 9-13 when beaten 8l. by Carol Singer (10-9), Mallow August (2m. 'chase). Ahaburn (10-9) was 5l. behind, Half a Guinea (11-2) fifth, Safety Act (11-2) sixth, and Newcomer (9-13) seventh. Stokesfield (10-9) fell.

23 NEWCOMER. See Ahaburn and Old Fella. Carried 9-10 when beaten 2l., 5l. by Battle of Killiecrankie (11-7) and Royal Ambassador (12-0), Limerick September (2m. 'chase). Safety Act (11-4) was fourth, Ahaburn (11-2) fifth, and Stokesfield (10-9) further behind. Old Fella (9-12) fell.

4.0—LIMERICK CITY WELTER HANDICAP of 60 sovs. Second 7 sovs., third 3 sovs. A flat race. 1½ m. Age st. lb.

CAPTURED LATE (7lb. ex.) (Mr. O. T. V. Slocock) ....Owner 4 10 2
TANSY (Mr. D. P. O'Brien) ......Owner 6 9 13
PRISCILLA ANN (Mr. J. W. A. Harris) Harris 4 9 12
GOOD THING (Mr. C. Blackmore) Kirwan a 9 7
OPALIA (Mr. W. W. Ashe) ......Owner 5 9 6
ROCK LESS (Mr. T. Black) ...Black 4 8 9
FORELLE (Mr. J. Quinlan) ......Owner 3 8 7
NIGHT SHELTER (Mr. Jas. O'Keeffe) Kirwan 4 8 7

Above are declared runners.

01 CAPTURED LATE. See Ladies' Plate. Unplaced with 8-12 to Cobequid (9-0), Curragh September (2½m.). Carried 10-6 when beaten 2½l. by Boundary (11-0), Tramore August (2m.).

00 TANSY. See Priscilla Ann.

02 PRISCILLA ANN. Carried 9-12 when beaten ¾l. by Boundary (10-7), Limerick September (1½m.). Tansy (9-9) was fourth of 8.

01 GOOD THING. Carried 10-4 when winning 2l., head from Calendio (10-9) and Golden Dawn (11-3), Mallow August (1½m. hurdles).

22 OPALIA. Carried 11-2 when beaten 1l. by Essexhall (12-7), Baldoyle, September 26 (1m 7f.). Carried 9-7 when beaten 2l. by Montigny (9-2), Limerick Junction June (2m.).

20 ROCK LESS. Unplaced with 9-2 to Boinne na Brugh (10-4), Laytown August (5f.). Carried 11-4 when beaten 4l. by Croppy Queen (10-11) same day (1½m.)

00 FORELLE. Unplaced with 9-9 to Sahabelle (10-9), Limerick September (2m.).

0 NIGHT SHELTER. Unplaced with 11-9 to Ellamond (10-7), Tramore April (1½m.).

Gossip from Newmarket.

Doubts about Knight of Lorn : Alexis and the Cambridgeshire : Selections.

NEWMARKET, Monday.

IT was a beautiful morning in spite of a rather keen wind, but there was nothing interesting in the work. The Hon. George Lambton took his team to the Racecourse side, but the Cesarewitch candidate, Knight of Lorn, was not amongst them. He has only done trotting exercise since he hit himself in a gallop over a week ago, and consequently his prospects for the big handicap are not bright.

It is possible that Salaam will throw the gauntlet down to Singapore in the Jockey Club Stakes. With Servus she was sent one mile and three-quarters at a nice pace this morning. Apparently the daughter of Papyrus and Tranquil does not run her races with the same amount of grit that she displays in her gallops at home, but should she consent to "put it all in" on Thursday she would give Singapore a good race.

Pricket (Weston) moved well in a good mile gallop with Zane Grey and Pisa. His was a good performance when just failing to give 14lb. to Witticism at Doncaster, and previously he put up a good race against Pickpocket. He has already won a race, and with ordinary luck should earn another winning bracket.

I have more than once written favourably about Canaletto, who made his *début* in the Gimcrack Stakes. It was only natural that on his first public appearance he ran green, but the race has done him good. This morning he was ridden by F. Rickaby in a good six furlong spin, with Bute and California, and I hope that I shall be able to recommend him as a winner before the season closes.

I was interested in the spin which C. Waugh gave to his Cambridgeshire representative, Alexis, who kept Boldero, Chelmarsh, Ameer and Vert well on the stretch throughout a good mile gallop. If he continues to maintain his present rate of progress I shall be prepared to see him a fighting factor next month. At the present, however, I am of the opinion that he has got a few pounds too much, but there is no doubt he is an autumn horse, which he proved about this time last year.

D. Waugh gave Rose en Soleil a good pace gallop with Wedding Favour and Cassius.

Winners may not be very easy to find here to-morrow. The Trial Selling Plate is an open race. Elixir at his best could win, and it would not be policy to despise Pachalik in this class of race. On the strength of his good race at Doncaster Strongbow will find supporters, and Glissade I prefer to Waif and Parthenon. Royal Warrant is well and Deerpark ran well at his last attempt, but I shall rely upon

STRONGBOW.

Our best for the Buckenham Stakes will be

CALL GIRL.

Tommy Atkins and Fiesole can renew their Crawford Plate antagonism in the Great Eastern Handicap. The former is allowed 15lb. for a neck defeat, but Fiesole, being the younger, should have made that amount of improvement in the meantime. Pachalik and Phalarope are well. I prefer Gift Horse to Waif, and I look upon him as the danger to

BARGANY,

who has improved since he ran here against Sister Clover and Poor Lad

A good field will run for the Isleham Claiming and Selling Plate—Leicester Lane, Eager Flight colt, Hilo, Shellback, Nautigal, Sard, Harker, Persephone, Adorna, and

CARNIA

will be amongst them, and from what I have seen of the latter she should win.

The Great Foal Stakes will be an interesting race, and here I prefer Rose en Soleil to Gallic. St. George will run well, but my vote goes to

MANGOSTEEN*.

Pharoah III. has a penalty in the First October Nursery, but he should beat Gala Parade. Iron Ration should perform creditably, and Coronella colt should improve upon his Manchester running. Quadrille will run forward, but my vote goes to

NICK THE GREEK (next best),

who has done well since his good race at Yarmouth.

At Hamilton my fancies are:—2.30—Grecian Isle; 4.30—Legato; 5.0—Dago.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

Cambridgeshire Stakes, Newmarket—Ultra Violet II. at 9 a.m. yesterday.
Duke of York Handicap, Kempton—Finsovino, at 11.30 a.m. yesterday.

NEWMARKET MEETING.

Great Eastern Handicap, Royal Rufus.
Trial Selling Plate—Glissade, Allegro.
Apprentice Plate—Mintario.
Buckenham Stakes—Cock Bridge, Profit and Loss, Pickle the Spy.
Ditch Mile Nursery—Limelight.

PONTEFRACT MEETING.

Leeds Handicap—Dundrave.
Byram Selling Handicap—Artabanus, Christopher.
Trial Selling Handicap—Virgin's Tangle, Gold Meter.
Grove Hall Handicap—Pomarrel.
West Riding Handicap—Brawny.

MISCELLANEOUS.

October Nursery, Newbury—Eagle Hill.
Nottingham Handicap Plate—Knolonia.
Thirkleby Selling Handicap, Thirsk—Virgin's Tangle.
Autumn Handicap Plate, Thirsk—Pomarrel.
Haydock Park Autumn Handicap—Segesta, Brawny.
All engagements—Hy Spy, Pandour, Five Arrows.

NAVAN RACES,

Over the Proudstown Park Course,
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15th.

The following Plates Close with Mr. F. Harold Clarke, 9 Hume street, Dublin, on TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY), the 30th inst.:—

THE OCTOBER PLATE. A handicap steeplechase. Three miles.

THE TOWN PLATE. A flat race for horses that have never won a race under any rules in any country. Three years old, 8st. 7lb.; four years and upwards, 9st. 7lb. One mile and a half.

THE BROWNSTOWN PLATE. A hurdle race for maidens. Three years old, 10st. 5lb.; four years old, 11st. 10lb.; five and upwards, 12st. 3lb. Certain penalties and allowances. One mile and a half.

BECTIVE PLATE. A steeplechase for horses that have never won a steeplechase. Four years old, 10st. 7lb.; five years and upwards, 11st. 7lb. Two miles.

LISMULLEN PLATE. A welter flat race for horses four years old and upwards that have never won a race. Four years old, 11st.; five and upwards, 11st. 7lb. Riders—Those qualified under Rule 96. Two miles.

For full Articles see "Irish Racing Calendar" of September 25th.—(Advt.)

GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

FIRST OCTOBER MEETING.

TWO CESAREWITCH CANDIDATES.

LIKELY HORSES TO-DAY.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.
NEWMARKET, Monday.

THERE has been little or no rain here for some time, and the going will be good when the first October meetings begins here to-morrow.

One of the principal interests of the meeting will be the running of a few Cesarewitch candidates like Khorsheed in the Jockey Club Stakes and Insurance in the Newmarket October Handicap on Wednesday.

At the call-over of the card in London today Khorsheed became joint favourite for the Cesarewitch with Blue Vision, but if he earns a penalty by winning the Jockey Club Stakes it might put a different complexion on his his chance.

Insurance has not run since Ascot. In the summer his owner, the late Mr. Philip Carr, took him away from Tabor's stable and had him trained out at his own place, with the idea of getting him fresh for the Cesarewitch. He was then sold to Miss Dorothy Paget, for whom Mr. Basil Briscoe now trains him at Long Stowe, on the Cambridgeshire border.

There was very little doing over the Cesarewitch, but Noble Star and Brumeux, both live candidates for the race, shortened in price.

SELECTIONS.

Cockpen, as forecast here, is not to run to-morrow, when he is engaged in the Buckenham Stakes, his stable companion, NIPPY SHILLINGSWORTH, having been sent to do duty instead. The opposition may not be strong, and she should beat Padishah and win.

In the Great Eastern Handicap I choose POOR LAD to beat Bargany and Carola, the latter of whom may gain a place.

The Great Foal Stakes should be won by ROSE EN SOLEIL, or, if he waits for a later engagement, by MANGOSTEEN.

At Hamlton Park the best things are BROOMFORD in the Halleaths Maiden Plate and TINKLE in the Dalzell Nursery.

GALTEE MORE.

THE BREAK-UP AT WHATCOMBE.

FOX'S CESAREWITCH MOUNT.

THE AGA KHAN'S horses, Khorsheed, Ut Majeur, Taj Ud Din, Tarte Maison, and Pickpocket, left for Newmarket yesterday to fulfil their engagements at the First October meeting this week. Khorsheed, who is joint favourite for the Cesarewitch, and Ut Majeur are engaged in the Jockey Club Stakes on Thursday, Taj Ud Din in the Great Foal Stakes, and Tarte Maison in the Buckenham Stakes to-day, and Pickpocket in the Triennial Produce Stakes on Wednesday.

Two of the Aga Khan's horses, Vamos and Asuncion, are still with R. C. Dawson, and the remainder are with John Beary at Tilshead. Vamos is said to be a fancied candidate for the Cambridgeshire.

The Aga Khan's secretary said yesterday that His Highness had no statement to make concerning the severed connection with his late trainer, R. C. Dawson. He said, however, that although the horses previously with Dawson had been sent to John Beary, some of them later on would be sent to Frank Butters at Newmarket.

WHICH WILL FOX RIDE?

The trouble on Saturday was concerned with the engagement of a jockey to ride Khorsheed in the Jockey Club Stakes and Cesarewitch. Mr. Dawson, it is said, wished Sirett to ride, but the Aga Khan disagreed, and then stated that he had decided to send his horses to be trained elsewhere.

F. Fox stated yesterday that he will ride Khorsheed in the Jockey Club Stakes this Week, and also that he had been engaged to ride the horse in the Cesarewitch, provided Noble Star did not run. Should Khorsheed win the Jockey Club Stakes he will incur a 10lb. penalty for the Cesarewitch. His weight would then be 8st., which is within the riding weight of Michael Beary, who is the Aga Khan's first jockey, and brother to John Beary, the Tilshead trainer.

Mr. Cundell, Noble Star's trainer, said yesterday that his horse was a certain runner bar accidents for the Newmarket event, and that Fox would ride.

R. C. Dawson has stated that he will continue to train at Whatcombe for his other patrons, who include Lord Carnarvon and Mr. W. Barnett.

HORSES FOR BUTTERS.

Our Newmarket Correspondent learns from an authoritative source that the following horses, the property of the Aga Khan, will shortly arrive at Frank Butters's stables at Newmarket:—Pomme d'Api (three years), Taj Kasra, Buland Shar, Firdaussi, Rooz and Udaipur (two years).

Ut Majeur, Khorsheed and Dastur are already at Newmarket, where they are under the care of Mr. P. Beary, brother of J. Beary, the Tilshead trainer. These three horses will join Butters's team after meeting their engagements this week. Butters, who already has charge of the Aga Khan's yearlings, will thus have nine older horses in the same ownership.

WORK AT THE CURRAGH.

THE CURRAGH, Monday.

A dull morning.

BEHAN'S South Sea Bubble and Lisburn went a mile and a quarter steadily; May Turn cantered the same distance; Lock Gift and Knight of the Mist covered seven furlongs at a nice pace; the two-year-olds traversed five furlongs steadily.

BRABAZON'S Cloverdale travelled a mile and three-quarters; Custodian, Chelsea and Carey Dennis went six furlongs at half-speed.

COLLINS'S Old River Bridge, Little Boy Blue and others cantered five furlongs.

DAWSON'S Orbell, Saerdoon and Arab Man were sent a mile and a quarter at a good pace; Tony Boy went the same distance at a nice half-speed.

DOYLE'S Olive's Pride, Apron Lad, Some Gift, Reilly, Ripple On and the two-year-olds had brisk bouts of healthy exercise

HARTIGAN'S Sanders, Lady Frivol, Kilcash Hill, Dulcine, Bardley, Dusky Chief and Clara Vere de Vere exercised on the roads

HUNTER'S Admiral's Daughter, Master Aldborough and others canteerd.

FETHERSTONHAUGH'S Hy-Spy, Copper Court, Bill, Corolanty, l'Enfant Terrible and others were usefully employed.

PARKINSON'S The Blacksmith, Double Toy, Prince Prosper, Film Fan, Swift Bird, Curragh Calling, Kyleclare and others of the Maddenstown Lodge team were given useful bouts of healthy exercise.

ROGERS'S Heraclida, Nice Token and Essexbrook went a mile, others of the Crotanstown House team were usefully employed over five furlongs

SLOCOCK'S Pilot Ship, Easter Star and Runaway Jack went a mile and a quarter; Bonus, Lass o' Rheims and the rest of the team cantered.

WELLESLEY'S Prince Khan and Odd Cat went a mile and a half; White Kate and other cantered.

SELECTIONS FOR LISTOWEL—TO-DAY.
Ladies' Plate—NOT MANY
Listowel Plate—EAST GALWAY.
Ballybunnion Plate—JACK O' GLEN.
Castleisland Plate—SUPERPLANE
Limerick City Plate—OPALIA

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THE NEWMARKET CARD.

FOUR EVENTS FOR TWO-YEAR-OLDS

TWO-YEAR-OLDS have their day at Newmarket to-day; for, out of the seven events on the card, four are restricted to juveniles, and they are given a further chance in the Trial Selling Plate, a weight-for-age affair.

The most interesting race, however, appears to be the Great Eastern Handicap, a six furlongs race. Sister Clover and Poor Lad met at Newmarket last July. On that occasion Sister Clover gave Poor Lad 7lb. and a beating, but Poor Lad has improved so much recently that Molony's filly might find it very difficult to beat Poor Lad at level weights. Sister Clover has not impressed me very much in her more recent outings, and she appeared to be training off a little.

Bargany has won a few good races recently, but six furlongs may not be far enough for him. He was beaten by both Sister Clover and Poor Lad at Newmarket last July over this distance, and meets Poor Lad on slightly worse terms.

Concerto ran well against Heronslea at Ayr, but has plenty of weight to carry, while Knight Error is not too kindly treated by the handicapper. Pachalik's turn will come, but Red Queen, on her recent form, has a great chance. She ran Xandover to a short head at Doncaster, and had Poor Lad and Heronslea in the rear. Tommy Atkins is fancied, but I shall select Red Queen.

F. Darling will run Nippy Shillingsworth in the Buckenham Stakes in preference to Cockpen. The filly has an excellent chance on recent form. Tarte Maison is bad at the gate, but if she gets off with the others she will go close. Oxtail is fancied at Manton, while Padishah cannot be left out. The last-named should go close, but I take Nippy Shillingsworth as the best.

Ballet Dancer is expected to do well in the Isleham Selling Handicap, and she should do better than she did at Leicester last week. Beauvais ran well in Some Shot's race at Yarmouth, and has a chance on that form. Leicester Lane should not be disgraced, but Nautigal is the selection.

Onyx, who has been tubed, has been well galloped with the Trial Selling Plate in view, but I am of opinion that Strongbow will win. He ran well in Canfield's race at Doncaster, and six furlongs is about his best distance.

Dodger put up a wonderfully improved performance against Brassie at Newbury last week, and if he can reproduce that form he will be difficult to beat in the First October Nursery.

Trial Selling Plate—**Strongbow.**
Buckenham Stakes—**Nippy Shillingsworth.**
Great Eastern Handicap—**Red Queen.**
Isleham Claiming and Selling Plate—**Nautigal.**
Great Foal Stakes—**Rose en Soleil**; if absent, **Mangosteen.**
First October Nursery—**Dodger** (nap).
82nd Triennial Stakes—**Prince Paradise.**

TO-DAY'S DOUBLE.
Dodger (Newmarket) and **Broomford** (Hamilton Park).

1.30—TRIAL SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. 6 f. Age. st. lb.

EYES FRONT (Mr. Downing) ......Vasey 4 9 5
DARK BRILLIANCE (Mrs. M. Field) Boyd-Rochfort 4 9 2
GOLDEN EARL (Mr. Blagrave) ...Owner 4 8 12
ELIXIR (Lady C. Owen) ....F. Leach 3 8 12
STRONGBOW (Lt.-Col. Loder) ...Gilpin 4 8 12
PARTHENON (Mr. A. K. Macomber) Beatty 4 8 12
PACHALIK (Mr. J. A. Phillips) C. Leader 6 8 12
CASSEROLE (Mr. F. Templeman) Owner 4 8 12
CAPTAIN KING (Mrs. Fairfax) R. J. Colling 4 8 9
OLD DROMORE (Mrs. Lewis) Wal. Griggs 6 8 9
WAIF (Lord Lonsdale) ....Pickering 3 8 9
HEREMON (Mr. Beeby) ......B. Jarvis 5 8 9
BATT OF TRAF (Mr. T. Davidson) R. Day 4 8 9
ROYAL WARRANT (Lord Allendale) B. Jarvis 3 8 5
TELESCOPE (Sir Abe Bailey) ...Cottrill 3 8 5
ICARUS (Mr. H. Johnstone) ...T. Martin 3 8 5
DEERPARK (Lord Ellesmere) Pickering 3 8 2
PICKLE THE SPY (Lord Harewood) W. Jarvis 2 7 10
POTINA (Mr. A. Boyce Barrow) ...Tidy 2 7 7
ONYX (Mrs. A. James) ....Lambton 2 7 3

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
000	DARK BRILLIANCE ....Childs	5/1
00	GOLDEN EARL ....Gethin	8/1
000	ELIXIR ....H. Wragg	4/1
302	STRONGBOW ....Ray	7/4
400	PARTHENON ....Weston	100/8
003	PACHALIK ....Perryman	7/1
400	CAPTAIN KING ....Marten	10/1
044	OLD DROMORE ....Jelliss	100/8
030	BATT OF TRAF ....J. Evans	100/7
030	ROYAL WARRANT ....Carslake	8/1
04	ICARUS ....G. Richards	5/1
003	DEERPARK ....R. James	10/1
0	PICKLE THE SPY ....Stephenson	100/7
0	POTINA ....A. Burns	100/7
20	ONYX ....Rickaby	10/1

2.0—BUCKINGHAM STAKES of 300 sovs. each, h. ft. For two-year-olds. 5 f. st. lb.

OXTAIL (Lord Astor) ....Lawson 9 0
PADISHAH (Maj. McCalmont) .... Persse 9 0
BURNT MINT (Sir V. Sassoon) C. Waugh 9 0
COCKPEN (Lord Woolavington) F. Darling 9 0
ST. ANDREWS (Lord Derby) ......Lambton 9 0
TOLBOOTH (Lord Astor) ....Lawson 8 11
PENNYCROSS (Lord Astor) ....Lawson 8 11
NEVADA (Lord Derby) .... Lambton 8 11
LEISURE HOUR (Lord Derby) .....Lambton 8 11
FORTLET F. (Sir A. Bailey) ......C. Peck 8 11
TARTE MAISON (H.H. Aga Khan) R. Dawson 8 11
QUEEN'S DOUBLE F. (Maj. D. McCalmont) Persse 8 11
NIPPY SHILLINGSWORTH (Duke of Portland) ....F. Darling 8 11
CALL GIRL (Sir V. Sassoon) ......C. Waugh 8 11
ELUDED (Sir Frederick Eley) ...T. Waugh 8 11
EUPHEMIA (Lol. Lundgren) ....Barling 8 11

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
10	OXTAIL ....Dick	7/2
324	PADISHAH ....H. Beasley	2/1
400	TARTE MAISON ....Beary	6/1
214	NIPPY SHILLINGSWORTH F. Fox	6/4
304	CALL GIRL ....Donoghue	7/1
00	EUPHEMIA ....Jelliss	10/1

2.30—GREAT EASTERN HANDICAP, a sweepstakes, with 500 sovs. added (Weights raised 1lb.) 6 f. Age st. lb.

SISTER CLOVER (Mr. Wadia)...Molony 4 9 0
POOR LAD (Sir H. Owen)......O. Bell 4 9 0
TOMMY ATKINS (Mr. Sears) H. Leach a 8 11
BARGANY (Lord Howard de Walden) D. Waugh 4 8 9
FIESOLE (Mr. J. M. Clayton) J. Cannon 3 8 8
CAROLA (Mrs. C. Glorney).........Sneyd 3 8 5
CONCERTO (Sir H. Owen)......O. Bell 3 8 4
KNIGHT ERROR (Capt. Wilson) Whitaker 5 8 3
PHALAROPE (Miss A. James(Lambton 3 8 1
PACHALIK (Mr. J. Phillips) C. Leader 6 8 0
RED QUEEN (Mr. G. C. Sneyd) Sneyd 5 7 9
ICARUS (Mr. H. Johnstone) T. Martin 3 7 3
GIFT HORSE (Lady Rosebery) J. Jarvis 3 7 1
WAIF (Lord Lonsdale).........Pickering 3 7 1

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
400	SISTER CLOVER ....Dick	9/2
404	POOR LAD ....H. Wragg	3/1
400	TOMMY ATKINS ....R. Jones	8/1
311	BARGANY ....Perryman	7/2
113	FIESOLE ....Sirett	10/1
000	KNIGHT ERROR ....F. Fox	5/1
100	PHALAROPE ....Weston	8/1
232	RED QUEEN ....E. Smith	4/1
040	ICARUS ....C. Richards	10/1
044	GIFT HORSE ....Rickaby	10/1
30	WAIF ....Smirke	100/8

3.0—ISLEHAM CLAIMING AND SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. Two-year-olds. 5 f. Age st. lb.

LEICESTER LANE (Lord Lonsdale) Pickering 8 12
CYPERUS (Mr. J. P. Hornung) ...B. Jarvis 8 12
NILOS (Mr. F. J. Alexander) ......Braime 8 5
BLACK AND BLUE (Sir W. Cooke) ...Read 8 5
EAGER FLIGHT C. (Mr. S. H. Darling) S. Darling 8 5
MARINSKY (Mrs. W. Raphael) .....Molony 8 5
BEAUVAIS (Mr. J. S. Austen) ...C. Waugh 8 2
AGITATE (Mr. J. S. Austen)......C. Waugh 8 2
CYPHER G. (Mr. S. Darling) ....Owner 8 2
DOWNPOUR (Lord Fairhaven) ......O. Bell 8 2
HILO (Sir F. Freake) ....Kirk 8 2
SAND DANCE (Sir W. Gilbey) ...T. Cannon 8 2
SHELLBACK (Lord Glanely) ....Hogg 8 2
DUCAL PLATE (Mrs. A. James) ...Lambton 8 2
BALLET DANCER (Mr. P. Johnson) T. Martin 8 2
PRIVATE PRESENT (Mr. H. Johnstone) T. Martin 8 2
NAUTIGAL (Mr. W. Earl) ....Earl 8 2
SARD HARKER (Mr. S. McGregor) Gilpin 8 2
PERSEPHONE (Major C. Moss) T. R. Leader 8 2
ADORNA G. (Major Musker) ......H. Leader 8 2
CARNIA (Mrs. C. Rich) ......R. J. Colling 8 2
MINIMAX (Mrs. V. Yorke) ......C. Leader 8 2

Form.	Probable Starterc and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast
104	LEICESTER LANE .... R. Jones	7/1
220	CYPERUS .... Carslake	8/1
001	BLACK AND BLUE .... Graves	6/1
000	NILOS .... Jelliss	100/8
00	EAGER FLIGHT C. .... Southey	100/7
00	MARINSKY ....Dick	10/1
403	BEAUVAIS .... Perryman	7/2
00	DOWNPOUR .... H. Wragg	8/1
003	HILO .... Weston	7/1
00	SAND DANCE .... Sirett	100/8
400	SHELLBACK .... G. Richards	7/1
200	NAUTIGAL .... Rickaby	5/1
0	SARD HARKER .... Ray	10/1
00	PERSEPHONE .... Quick	100/8
0	ADORNA G. .... Fawdon	100/7
003	CARNIA .... Martin	9/2
000	MINIMAX .... Dowdall	100/7
000	BALLET DANCER .... G. Barber	10/1

3.30—GREAT FOAL STAKES of 20 sovs each, with 500 sovs. added. Three-year-olds. 1¼ m.

DOCTOR DOLITTLE (Mr. A. F. Basset) Persse 9 8
ROSE EN SOLEIL (Lord Howard de Walden) ....D. Waugh 9 3
CORN BELT (Mr. Marshall Field) Boyd-Rochfort 8 12
ST. GEORGE (Sir L. Phillips) ......J. Jarvis 8 12
LIONEL (Mr. W. Singer) ....Watts 8 12
MANGOSTEEN (Mr. Anthony de Rothschild) Watson 8 12
GALLIC (Mr. A. W. Gordon) Frank Butters 8 9
RACKETY LASSIE (Mr. S. Vlasto) Boyd-Rochfort 8 9
TAJ UD DIN (H.H. Aga Khan) R. Dawson 8 2

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
134	DOCTOR DOLITTLE ..... H. Beasley	3/1
111	ROSE EN SOLEIL .... Turtle	7/4
241	ST. GEORGE .... Jelijss	9/2
200	LIONEL .... F. Fox	8/1
103	MANGOSTEEN .... Perryman	3/1
411	RACKETY LASSIE .... Childs	4/1
111	GALLIC ....H. Wragg	8/1
000	TAJ UD DIN ....Beary	7/1

4.0—FIRST OCTOBER NURSERY HANDICAP. A sweepstakes, with 300 sovs. added. 5 f. st. lb.

SEMI-QUAVER (Capt. J. Fielden) ...O. Bell 9 5
COSPATRICK (Mr. Z. G. Michalinos) Molony 9 3
PHAROAH III. (10lb. ex.) (Sir V. Sassoon) ....Waugh 9 2
QUADRILLE (Lady Ralli) W. Nightingall 9 1
LEICESTER LANE (Ld. Lonsdale) Pickering 8 9
NICK THE GREEK (Mr. F. Astaire) H. Leader 8 8
CORONELLA C. (Sir Abe Bailey) ...R. Day 8 7
WAGES (Capt. Montagu)...........De Mestre 8 3
DENVER (Ld. Lonsdale)...........F. Darling 8 1
GALA PARADE (H.H. Maharaja of Rajpipla) ....Whitaker 7 12
DODGER (Mr. D. S. Kennedy)......Thrale 7 10
IRON RATION (Sir L. Philipps) J. Jarvis 7 8
SABELLA (Mr. J. de Rothschild) ...Pratt 6 12

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast
004	COSPATRICK ....Dick.	6/1
302	QUADRILLE .... H. Wragg	3/1
202	NICK THE GREEK .... Laines	7/1
013	CORONELLA C. .... Carslake	9/2
030	WAGES .... Ray	5/1
000	DENVER .... F. Fox	8/1
100	GALA PARADE .... A. Burns	100/8
312	DODGER .... C. Richards	7/2
000	IRON RATION .... Rickaby	10/1
000	SABELLA .... Sharpe	100/8

4.30—EIGHTY-SECOND TRIENNIAL PRODUCE STAKES of 10 sovs. each, with 300 sovs. added. Four-year-olds. 2 m.

SON OF MINT (Mr. Jesse Brown) D.-Pennant 9 5
PRINCE PARADISE (Mr. James A. De Rothschild) (7lb.) ....Pratt 8 5
EDELWEISS (Lord Derby) ....Lambton 8 4
DUCKIE (H. H. Aga Khan) ......R. Dawson 7 11

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
302	PRINCE PARADISE .... Bezant	w.o.

FORM HORSES.

1.30—Strongbow.
2. 0—Padishah.
2.30—Sister Clover.
3. 0—Beauvais.
3.30—Rose en Soleil.
4. 0—Coronella c. (nap).
4.30—Prince Paradise.

Eclipse.

LONDON BETTING.

THE CESAREWITCH.

BLUE VISION AND KHORSHEED JOINT FAVOURITES.

There was a fair amount of business at the Victoria Club yesterday for a few of the Cesarewitch candidates, but nothing was done on the Cambridgeshire. For the Cesarewitch, Blue Vision was joint favourite with Khorsheed at 100 to 9, 1,000 to 90 and 500 to 50 being accepted about the first named, but 100 to 9 against Khorsheed did not tempt backers. Friendship closed at 100 to 7 after 500 to 30 had been taken. Noble Star was supported to win £6,000 at rates varying from 25 to 1 down to 100 to 6, 100 to 7 being the closing offer. Summer Princess had friends at 1,000 to 40 (twice), closing at 22 to 1. Truncheon was firm at 2,000 to 100, after 500 to 20 and 500 to 22½ had been taken. Minor sums only went on the others backed.

CESAREWITCH STAKES.

(Run at Newmarket, Wednesday, October 14. 2 m. 2 f.)

		Age	st.	lb.
100/9	Blue Vision (t. and o.)...I. Anthony	4	7	6
100/9	Khorsheed (o.) ....Beary	3	7	4
100/7	Friendship (o., 100/6 t.) ......Peck	6	8	1
100/7	Noble Star (o., 100/6 t.) ...Cundell	4	8	12
100/6	Brumeux (o.) ....S. Darling	6	8	12
20/1	Truncheon (t. and o.) ...De Mestre	4	7	13
22/1	Summer Princess (o., 25/1 t.) Barclay	5	6	12
25/1	Son of Mint (o., 28/1 t.)..D.-Pennant	4	7	10
25/1	Notice Board (o.) ....Lawson	5	7	2
33/1	Insurance (t. and o.) ......Briscoe	4	8	3
33/1	British Sailor (t. and o.) ...Hogg	4	6	13
33/1	Calvados (t. and o.) ....R. Day	4	7	1
33/1	Prince Paradise (o.) ....Pratt	4	7	10
33/1	Joyous Greeting (o.) ....Sneyd	a	7	4
33/1	Chelmarsh (o.) ....C. Waugh	4	6	7
33/1	Old Orkney (o.) ....Sneyd	a	8	13
33/1	Oletta (o.) ....S. Darling	5	8	2
33/1	Earn Hill (o.) ....Sneyd	4	6	13
40/1	Advancer (t. and o.) ....Gwilt	4	6	10
40/1	North Drift (t. and o.) ......Vasey	4	7	2
40/1	Ballymurphy (o.) ....Webb	a	6	9
50/1	Trie Château II. (t. and o.)...France	4	8	3
50/1	Arctic Star (t. and o.)...Nightingall	a	8	5
66/1	Sandals (t. and o.)..Boyd-Rochfort	4	7	7

CAMBRIDGESHIRE STAKES.

(Run at Newmarket, Wednesday, October 28. 1 m. 1 f.)

		Age	st.	lb.
100/9	Link Boy (o.) ....Lawson	3	8	11
100/8	Lord Bill (o.) ....Fk. Butters	4	8	5
100/6	Hill Cat (o.) ....C. Leader	3	8	5

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HUNTING.

KILKENNY PACKS.

This season there will be two packs of foxhounds in Co. Kilkenny, one the old Kilkenny pack, of which Major Dermot McCalmont is Master, and the other, a newly formed pack, with Mr. John Alexander as Master. The latter has its headquarters at Leighlinbridge, Co. Carlow, and will hunt the north of the county, while Major McCalmont will confine himself chiefly to the south, and will also include in his itinerary some coverts north of the city. Both packs are now cub-hunting, and there is every prospect of a good season's sport, particularly as there will be hunting on six days a week. The new Hunting Hotel at Newtown House, near the city, which Major McCalmont has taken for five years, is now open to receive guests. It is under the management of Captain Eccles, who is well known amongst hunting folk over a great part of Ireland.

SPORTING GOSSIP.

F. Rickaby's Cesarewitch Mount.

F. Rickaby, the apprentice jockey, who has been riding with such great success this season, has been engaged to ride Summer Princess in the Cesarewitch. He was to have ridden Knight of Lorn in the race for Lord Derby, but it is understood that Lord Derby will now run West Wicklow instead.

Beckhampton and Manton Runners.

Beckhampton runners at Newmarket to-day will be Golden Earl in the Trial Selling Plate, Nippy Shillingsworth in the Buckenham Stakes, and Denver in the First October Nursery. Manton will be represented by Oxtail in the Buckenham Stakes.

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SPECIAL SELECTIONS.

Daily Sketch:—Double—Red Queen and Strongbow.

SELECTIONS FOR NEWMARKET MEETING TO-DAY

PAPER.	1.30 RACE.	2.0 RACE.	2.30 RACE.	3.0 RACE.	3.30 RACE.	4.0 RACE.	4.30 RACE.
Irish Times	Strongbow.	Nippy Shillingsworth.	Red Queen.	Nautigal.	Rose en Soleil; if ab., Mangosteen.	Dodger.*	Prince Paradise.
Galtee More	—	Nippy Shillingsworth.	Poor Lad.	—	Rose en Soleil; if ab., Mangosteen.	—	—
S. Life & Sportsman	Strongbow.	Nippy Shillingsworth.	Knight Error; Sister Clover place.	Beauvais.	Rose en Soleil.	Quadrille.* Nick the Greek, place.	Prince Paradise.
Man on the Spot....	Strongbow.	Oxtail.	Poor Lad.*	Cyperus.	Rose en Soleil.	Quadrille.	Prince Paradise.
Daily Sketch	Strongbow.	Nippy Shillingsworth.	Red Queen.*	Cyperus.	Rose en Soleil.	Quadrille.	Prince Paradise.
Star	Elixir; Pachalik, place.	Cockpen; Oxtail, place.	Bargany; Concerto, place.	Cyperus.* Agitate, place.	Rose en Soleil; St. George, place.	Dodger; Quadrille, place.	Prince Paradise.
Evening News.........	Casserole.	Tarte Maison.	Concerto.*	Agitate.	Rose en Soleil.	Dodger.*	Prince Paradise.
Evening Standard...	Elixir.	Leisure Hour.	O. Bell's selected.	Ducal Plate.	Quadrille.	Rose en Soleil.	Prince Paradise.
The Times	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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HAMILTON PARK RESULTS.

2.30—CINQUEFOIL NURSERY HANDICAP of 200 sovs. 6 f.

Sir G. Bullough's gr. f. PERPETUAL MOTION, by Golden Myth—Self-Starter, 8-5...W. Nevett 1
Mr. H. M. Hartigan's RABBI, 8-0.........J. Conlon 2
Major A. W. Huntington's STOLEN MELODY, 8-0 ....D. McGuigan 3

Also ran—Friar Musk (I. Martin). Off 2.31. (Winner trained by Peacock.)

Betting—11 to 10 on PERPETUAL MOTION, 4 to 1 agst Rabbi, 9 to 2 Stolen Melody, 5 to 1 Friar Musk.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 3/6.

Won by two lengths; a short head.

3.0—LANARKSHIRE HANDICAP of 200 sovs 1 m. 3 f.

Mr. W. Swire's b. c. JACK WOOD, by Transcendent—Pussy Willow, 4, 6-12......W. Carr 1
Mr. W. Riley Smith's POLO, 4, 8-10...W. Nevett 2
Captain A. S. Wilson's COUNTER, 5, 8-11 J. Thwaites 3

Also ran—Eileandonan (J. Collins), Mr. Bertram (A. Wragg). Off 3.0. (Winner trained by G. Armstrong.)

Betting—7 to 4 agst. JACK WOOD, 11 to 4 Counter, 9 to 2 Polo, 5 to 1 Eileandonan, 8 to 1 Mr. Bertram.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 6/3; places, 3/-, 5/-.

Won by a neck; four lengths. Mr. Bertram was last.

3.30—REDERECH SELLING NURSERY HANDICAP of 150 sovs. 5 f.

Mr. H. M. Hartigan's br. f. GIRDLE, by Buckler—Olvidada, 7-13 ....J. Conlon 1
Captain C. Foster's FARFORTH, 8-7...W. Nevett 2
Mr. J. Johnstone's BILL SPANGLER, 8-3 E. Fox 3

Also ran—Sunshine Girl (G. Fearn), Silver Palm (S. Wragg), Tinanza f. (G. Baines), The Tuff (G. Brierley). Off 3.33. (Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—9 to 4 agst. Tinanza f., 7 to 2 each GIRDLE, Silver Palm and Farforth, 7 to 1 Bill Spangler, 25 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 11/3; places, 5/-, 4/3.

Won by a length and a half; half a length. Tinanza f. was fourth and Sunshine Girl last.

The winner was bought in for 110 guineas.

4.0—ROSS WELTER HANDICAP of 200 sovs. 1 m. 40 yds.

Mr. J. Johnstone's b. m. SPRING BLOSSOM, by Eaglehawk—Spring Bloom, 6, 10-7 Owner 1
Mr. F. S. C. Usher's BUNNY III., 3, 10-7 Owner 2
Mr. W. R. Smith's CAPLERIG, 4, 10-12 Mr. J. Fawcus 3

Also ran—Cloud Nymph (Mr. G. Armstrong), Kippit Lee (Mr. A. Boyd). Off 4.2. (Winner trained by Davey.)

Betting—11 to 8 agst. Caplerig, 7 to 4 Cloud Nymph, 5 to 1 SPRING BLOSSOM, 100 to 8 any other

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 9/6; places, 4/9, 12/6.

Won by two lengths; three-quarters of a length. Kippit Lee was last.

4.30—STRATHCLYDE HANDICAP of 150 sovs. 5 f.

Mr. J. Johnstone's b. m. PURE FUR, by Marten—Lily Edgar, 5, 7-9............E. Fox 1
Mr. F. Armstrong's NURSEWOOD, 4, 7-13 G. Baines 2
Mr. A. R. Smith's AYLESBURY, 3, 7-1 G. Fearn 3

Also ran—Baba (E. Forsyth), Pergamus (S. Wragg), Everglades (A. Roberts). Off 4.33 (Winner trained by Davey.)

Betting—11 to 10 on Pergamus, 4 to 1 agst. Baba, 5 to 1 Everglades, 6 to 1 PURE FUR, 100 to 7 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 16/-; places, 6/9, 9/9.

Won by two lengths; a head. Pergamus was fourth, and Baba last.

5.0—AVONDALE PLATE of 150 sovs. 1½ m.

Mr. M. D. Peacock's b. f. LILYPATH, by Carpathus—Bold Lily, 3, 8-4............W. Nevett 1
Capt. C. Foster's YORKSHIRE HUSSAR, 3, 7-11 ....G. Baines 2
Mr. J. McGuigan's JACKAL, 3, 7-11 D. McGuigan 3

Also ran—Winnersh (G. Fearn). Off 5.0 (Winner trained by Peacock.)

Betting—6 to 4 on LILYPATH, 4 to 1 agst. Winnersh, 5 to 1 Yorkshire Hussar, 8 to 1 Jackal.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 3/6.

Won by a length; six lengths.

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WYE RESULTS.

2.0—WYE MAIDEN OPTIONAL SELLING HURDLE RACE of 70 sovs. Three years old only. 1½ m.

Mrs. V. Emanuel's b. g. FRIAR BACON, by Friar Marcus—Mother Shipton, 11-0 W. Speck 1
Mr. F. Winter's KILBEG, 10-7 ......T. Morgan 2
Mr. Willett's UP STREAM, 10-0 Mr. D. Willett 3

Also ran—Navara (D. Butchers), Cymro (W. Payne), Champoeys (Mr. Yearsley), Crackajack (H. Nicholson), Golden Vista (R. Everett), Lona (T. Isaacs), L'Abbe Epais (E. Vinall), De Props (M. Feakes), Medley (S. Ingham). Off 2.2 (Winner trained by Duller.)

Betting—Evens FRIAR BACON, 5 to 2 agst. De Props, 4 to 1 Kilbeg, 8 to 1 Golden Vista, 100 to 8 Cymro, 20 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 5/9; places 3/9, 4/6, 15/3.

Won by one and a half lengths. Cymro pulled up.

2.30—ASHFORD SELLING HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 70 sovs. 2 m.

Mr. C. Clayton's ch. c. THREE FEATHERS, by Prince Galahad—Shake Down, a, 10-9 Mr. F. Groves 1
Mr. P. Thrale's SECOND NATIONAL, a, 12-7 M. Feakes 2
Capt. H. E. Cullen's NON PLUS, a, 11-7 W. Parvin 3

Also ran—Sandley (Mr. Skey), Balrennett Hill (Mr. G. Langlands), Pun (D. McCarthy), Fair Avis (Mr. J. Anderson), Chickweed (F. Grantham). Off 2.32. (Winner trained by G. Clayton.)

Betting—9 to 4 agst. Balrennett Hill, 7 to 2 each THREE FEATHERS and Non Plus, 5 to 1 Second National, 6 to 1 Chickweed, 7 to 1 Fair Avis, 100 to 8 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 8/-; places 2/9, 3/6, 3/3.

Won by one length; three lengths. Sandley pulled up; Pun fell.

3.0 — FOLKESTONE SELLING HANDICAP HURDLE of 70 sovs. 2 m.

Mr. F. D. Pirie's br. g. EVENING SUN, by Son-in-Law—Evening Star, a, 10-2 F. Grantham 1
Mr. G. Bates's MONTPELIER, a, 12-7 R. Thrale 2
Mrs. D. P. Dick's TETRAVILE, 4, 11-2 W. Hollick 3

Also ran—Norman Duke (L. Rees), Megeen (J. Kelly), Rocky Cape (Mr. G. Langlands), Spigot Lodge (A. Garnett), Coppernob (G. Hardy), Taxing Master (C. Wenham) (disq.). Off 3.1 (Winner trained by Collinson.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Coppernob, 3 to 1 Montpelier, 7 to 2 Rocky Cape, 6 to 1 EVENING SUN, 8 to 1 each Taxing Master and Norman Duke, 100 to 7 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 36/9; places 10/3, 5/6, 6/-.

Won by six lengths; three lengths.

Taxing Master, who finished third, was disqualified owing to C. Wenham failing to weigh in. Tetravale was placed third.

3.30—KENT HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 70 sovs. 3 m.

Mr. T. R. Higgins's ch. g. NAUTICAL SWELL, by Juggernaut—Santoi's Queen, a, 12-7 G. Hardy 1
Mrs. A. L. Pendarves's GUNNER L., a, 12-2 W. Speck 2
Mr. E. T. Tyrwhitt Drake's HOLMES, a, 12-0 Mr. Beechener 3

Also ran:—Uncle Batt (T. B. McCarthy), Rose Marie VI. (R. Everett), Cylbairn (G. Wilson), Angel III. (F. Maxwell). Off 3.32. (Winner trained by W. Smyth.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. NAUTICAL SWELL, 2 to 1 Gunner L., 6 to 1 Holmes, 7 to 1 Uncle Batt 100 to 8 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 5/3; places, 4/-, 4/-.

Won by twelve lengths; fifteen lengths.

4.0—HARVILLE HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 70 sovs 2 m.

Mr. P. Thrale's br. g. PLAYTOI, by Achtoi—Skypress, 6, 10-8 ....R. Thrale 1
Mr. S. Wootton's IRISH LORD, 6, 12-0 J. McGonigal 2
Dr. S. Wallace's BUSHBOY, 5, 10-5 Mr. Groves 3

Also ran—Avra Bridge (G. Wilson), Lashaway (F. Grantham), Dazzler (E. Vinall), Au Fait (Mr. Yearsley), Happison (A. Smyth). Off 4.1. (Winner trained by Thrale.)

Betting—7 to 4 agst. Irish Lord, 5 to 2 PLAYTOI, 4 to 1 each Bushboy and Happison, 8 to 1 Lashaway, 100 to 6 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 7/9; places, 2/6, 2/6, 2/9.

Won by two lengths; one length.

4.25—DOVER HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 70 sovs. 2 m.

Mrs. Boswall-Preston's b. g. TOOTENHILL, by Poet Laureate—Think of Me, a, 12-2 G. Hardy 1
Mr. T. P. Kimbell's ROYAL ROWLAND, a, 11-7 W. Parvin 2
Capt. Lumsden's NIGGER MINSTREL III., a, 10-9 ....R. Everett 3

Also ran—Sonny (L. Rees), Cherry Tree (W. Payne), All Over (T. B. McCarthy), Ahmed Ben (W. Redmond), Makbar (E. Vinall). Off 4.26. (Winner trained by Boswall-Preston.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. Cherry Tree, 4 to 1 each TOOTENHILL and Royal Rowland, 9 to 2 Sonny 8 to 1 Makbar, 100 to 8 All Over, 20 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 14/6; places, 4/9, 6/-, 16/9.

Won by eight lengths; three lengths. Cherry Tree fell.

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SOUTHWELL RESULTS.

1.45—KELHAM HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 70 sovs. Two miles.

Mr. J. Pidcock's b. g. BACHELOR'S RUNNER, by Indian Runner—Mrs. Beecham, a, 11-2 Mr. Bissill 1
Mr. A. Briscoe's KENWYN, 6, 11-9......W. Stott 2
Mr. T. Watt's KILMOON, a, 10-7............Owner 3

Also ran—Biancona (T. Leader), Ox and Ass (T. Brown), Young Middleton (Owner), Honey Lane (J. Stanbridge), Wisdom Gift (Mr. Clark), Myra (Mr. Cary), Eastern Foam (Owner), Arguide (R. Lyall), Lady Gay (Mr. Dutton), Rushi (J. Freckling-ton), Please Oblige (H. Hodgkinson). Off 1.47. Winner trained by Bissill.

Betting—5 to 2 agst. Biancona, 5 to 1 Lady Gay, 6 to 1 each BACHELOR'S RUNNER and Kenwyn, 8 to 1 Arguide, 100 to 8 each Young Middleton and Kilmoon, 20 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 13/6; places 4/-, 5/3, 9/3.

Won by three lengths; eight lengths.

2.15—FARNDON HURDLE RACE of 70 sovs. Two miles.

Mr. G. Leader's b. g. KING COBRA, by St. Louis—Aspis, 4, 11-9 ....Mr. Mount 1
Mr. J. Herrington's SUPER HAINE, 4, 11-9 W. Stott 2
Mr. T. Leader's JONATHAN BUTTALL, 3, 10-4 ....C. Rhodes 3

Also ran — Marybella (Mr. Clark), Tetrie (J. Hamey), Sentenced (J. Frecklington), Dunlavin Lass (W. Parker), Fore and Aft (Owner), Hinc Holloa (Mr. Ransome), Perthshire Lad (J. Stanbridge), Solly II. (F. Wilkinson), Perverse (C. Donegan), Blue Prince (R. Lyall), Ocean Queen (H. Hodgkinson), Mixed Applause (J. Arnold), Esperanza (H. Whiteman).

Off 2.19. Winner trained by F. Leader.

Betting—2 to 1 agst. KING COBRA, 5 to 1 Hinc Holloa, 7 to 1 Super Haine, 8 to 1 Sentenced, 10 to 1 each Dunlavin Lass and Blue Prince, 100 to 8 Jonathan Buttall, 20 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 9/3; places, 3/9, 3/6, 7/9.

Won by five lengths; fifteen lengths.

An objection to the winner for boring was overruled.

2.45—UPTON SELLING HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 70 sovs. Two miles.

Mr. E. Merrell's br. g. BALLYKINLER, by Simonson—Jinker, a, 11-5 ....E. Foster 1
Mr. G. Flintham's WILFRED, 5, 11-11...R. Lyall 2
Mr. R. Tonge's SPIRE, a, 11-2....J. Frecklington 3

Also ran—Skrinkle Bay (R. Fawcett), Southern Hue (N. Welsby), Stripanatit (A. Wandby), Weasel (Owner), Souvenance (P. Coleman), Golden Boy (Mr. Clark), Connie Duff (P. J. Kelly), Impertinence (W. Stott), Bucksome Lady (Mr. Bissill), Berkeley Arms (Mr. Tinkler), Hennapyn (H. Haley).

Off 2.49. Winner trained by R. Payne.

Betting—4 to 1 each agst. BALLYKINLER and Stripanatit, 5 to 1 Spire, 6 to 1 each Skrinkle Bay and Southern Hue, 8 to 1 each Impertinence and Wilfred, 10 to 1 Souvenance, 20 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win 8/6; places 4/3, 7/6, 10/9.

Won by a length and a half; eight lengths. Impertinence fell.

3.15—THURGARTON SELLING HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 70 sovs. 2 m.

Major R. Benson's b. g. VILLAGE BOY, by Irrawaddy—Village Chantress, 6, 12-5 T. Cullinan 1
Mr. E. B. Forwood's AGRICOLA, a, 11-2 F. Gurney 2
Mr. Goode's THE SHERIFF, a, 11-12 Owner 3

Also ran—Le Sultan (Mr. Bissill), Lady Margaret (J. Hamey), Royal Toy (Owner), Far Flight (J. Browne), Sound Asleep (Mr. Dutton), Lings Gorse (Mr. Berry), Hugh O'Neill (C. Donegan), Merchant (W. Parker), Spionway (Mr. Stephenson). Off 3.18. (Winner trained by Beeby.)

Betting—11 to 10 agst. VILLAGE BOY, 5 to 1 Sound Asleep, 6 to 1 Lady Margaret, 8 to 1 each The Sheriff and Agricola, 10 to 1 Far Flight, 20 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 5/3; places, 3/-, 6/6, 6/3.

Won by five lengths; ten lengths.

3.45—SOUTH NOTTS HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 70 sovs. 3 m.

Sir G. Congreve's br. m. LADY ARDOON, by Ardoon—Prosperous, a, 10-12 ....Owner 1
Mr. J. B. Snow's DELAVILLE, 6, 11-9 D. Morgan 2
Mrs. G. Pease's SANS BLAGUE, a, 10-11 J. Hamey 3

Also ran—Toy Bell (E. C. Brown), Egremont (Mr. Cary), West Irish (J. Moloney), Sturton (R. Fawcett), Witch Hill (R. Lyall), Stonebow (Owner), Kilbrain (Mr. Stephenson). Off 3.46. (Winner trained by Hurt.)

Betting—7 to 2 agst. Egremont, 9 to 2 each LADY ARDOON, Delaville and Sans Blague, 7 to 1 Stonebow, 8 to 1 Sturton, 100 to 8 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 34/-; places, 6/6, 7/6, 3/6.

Won by eight lengths; three-quarters of a length. Toy Bell fell.

4.15—FISKERTON HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 70 sovs. 2 m.

Mr. F. E. Peek's b. or br. g. SOUTHERN GUN, by Southannan—Mrs. Partington, a, 12-7 F. Gurney 1
Comtesse De Pret Roose's OUTCAST, a, 11-0 J. Moloney 2
Mr. H. H. Rose's TALLOW KNIGHT, a, 11-12 A. Waudby 3

Also ran:—Ampulla (Mr. Dutton), Phantom Robert (R. Lyall), Jehu (D. Morgan), Nedlog (H. Whiteman), Spot of Bother (Mr. Stephenson), Spontoon (J. Millar), Cornafulla (W. Riley). Off 4.16. (Winner trained by Hurt.)

Betting—13 to 8 agst. SOUTHERN GUN, 11 to 4 Phatnom Robert, 7 to 1 Tallow Knight, 8 to 1 Outcast, 100 to 8 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 12/3; places, 4/9, 7/-, 4/-.

Won by eight lengths; two lengths. Phantom Robert fell.

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AT HAMILTON PARK.

CHATELHERAULT HANDICAP THE CHIEF EVENT.

THE meeting at Hamilton Park concludes to-day. The chief event on the card is the Chatelherault Handicap, in which Red Laird appears to have a good chance of adding to his earlier successes.

Halleaths Maiden Plate—**Broomford** (nap).
Calder Water Selling Handicap—**Alouie.**
Dalzell Nursery—**Tinkle.**
Cadzow Selling Handicap—**Virgin's Tangle.**
Chatelherault Handicap—**Red Laird.**
Orbiston Plate—**Boxtel.**

2.30—**HALLEATHS MAIDEN PLATE** of 150 sovs. Two-year-olds. 5 f.

		st.	lb.
BROOMFORD (Mr. W. R. Smith)	Peacock	9	7
PLEASANT DAY (Mr. W. Coffey)	Perry	9	0
TOWARD POINT (Mrs. M. Kinney)	Kelly	9	0
FORECAT (Capt. Wilson)	Storie	9	0
LEMONADAY (Mr. W. Lyde)	G. Armstrong	8	11
GRECIAN ISLE (Lady Yule)	J. Cannon	8	11

The above have arrived.

DEARER STILL (Mr. J. Dawson)	Gunter	9	0
GUARDIAN (Lord Lonsdale)	R. Armstrong	9	0
ARCADES AMBO (Capt. Wilson)	Storie	9	0
HILL FLOWER (Mr. R. J. Colling)	Owner	8	11
GUIDO (Lady Derby)	Elsey	8	11
GIANE (Mr. H. M. Hartigan)	Owner	8	11
BOTTLED STOUT (Mr. J. Johnstone)	Davey	8	11
INCHBRECK (Mr. Lennox)	Peacock	8	11

3.0—**CALDER WATER SELLING HANDICAP PLATE** of 200 sovs. 1¼ m.

		Age	st.	lb.
CRAVEN LASSIE (Mr. J. Storey)	Drake	3	8	7
TRIM (Mr. J. Johnstone)	Davey	3	7	12
RUSTLER (Mr. G. Burnett)	Boyd	4	7	6
GHILLIE (Mr. J. McGuigan)	McGuigan	a	7	0
FALSE DOCTRINE (Mr. Wyllie)	Wyllie	3	7	0
BILLSON (Miss R. Taylor)	F. G. Taylor	a	7	0

The above have arrived.

FINAL WINK (Mrs. Pease)	H. A. Brown	a	9	7
PROHIBITION (Mr. W. J. Peek)	Bazley	5	8	13
GREY HILL (Mr. H. Whitwell)	W. Renwick	a	8	7
NAHMA (Mr. B. Warner)	O. Anthony	3	8	5
HALALIE (7lb. ex.) (Mr. R. Armstrong)	Owner	a	8	5
ALOUIE (Lady Samman)	Renton	4	8	5
GENERAL O'MALLEY (Comdr. Leake)	J. Burns	5	8	1
CAMERONIA (Mr. R. Ison)	Yapp	4	8	1
APACHE (Mr. J. H. Watson)	Hobbs	6	9	1
NUMIDE (Mr. B. Warner)	G. Bennett	5	8	1
VINGT-SEPT (Mr. R. Renton)	Renton	5	7	12
MOUNT MELVILLE (7lb. ex.) (Mr. W. Mason)	Binnie	5	7	10
STORMY (Mr. H. Martineau)	F. Armstrong	4	7	9
GREAT SAND (Lord Londesborough)	H. A. Brown	a	7	3
DREAMY KNIGHT (Mr. W. Coffey)	Perry	5	7	2
ICY KISS (Mrs. D. P. Dick)	Dick	3	7	2
GOLDEN DUN (Mr. J. McLean)	McGuigan	5	7	0

3.30—**DALZELL NURESRY HANDICAP PLATE** of 200 sovs. 5 f.

		st.	lb.
THE ARCHER (Sir J. Rutherford)	R. Armstrong	8	9
STOLEN MELODY (Maj. Huntington)	McGuigan	8	7
TINKLE (7lb. ex.) (Sir G. Bullough)	Peacock	8	7

The above have arrived.

CARDBOARD (Lord Ellesmere)	Peacock	9	7
LADY GRAIL (7lb. ex.) (Mr. A. E. McKinlay)	Elsey	9	0
FARM GAMP C. (Mr. W. Cary)	Briscoe	9	0
HILL FLOWER (7lb. ex.) (Mr. R. J. Colling)	Owner	8	13
GREEN COPSE (Mr. P. C. Peek)	Bazley	8	9
BAY BELLE (Mr. J. J. Bell-Irving)	R. Armstrong	8	2
HIS HONOUR (Mr. W. Webster)	Gunter	8	0
SWYNHOPE (Mr. N. Field)	F. Armstrong	8	0

4.0—**CADZOW SELLING HANDICAP PLATE** of 150 sovs. 6 f.

		Age	st.	lb.
TRUNCH (Mr. G. Dodd)	McCall	6	9	7
NEGLIGENCE (Mr. W. J. Peek)	Bazley	4	9	2
LALL STAR (Mr. A. R. Smith)	Boyd	5	9	0
INSTALMENT (Mr. R. Renton)	Renton	6	8	4
SOLVENT (Mr. H. T. Creighton)	Bullock	4	8	4
SCOTCH LAMENT (Mr. C. E. Howard)	R. Armstrong	4	8	2
PRIAMUS (Mr. E. C. Nolan)	R. J. Colling	4	7	13
PRINCESS KATE (Mr. J. T. Rogers)	Perry	4	7	9
ARLEN (Mr. J. McLean)	McGuigan	4	7	8
LOCH LINNHE (Capt. Angler)	Taylor	3	7	5
BARKHAM SQUARE (Mr. R. W. Armstrong)	F. Armstrong	a	7	3
MISS CARPATHIAN (Mr. J. McGuigan)	McGuigan	4	7	2
SOLATHRA (Mr. M. E. Fitzgerald)	J. Burns	3	7	2
HASHASHIN (Mr. Wyllie)	Wyllie	3	7	1
STRUMMER (Mr. M. Peacock)	Peacock	3	7	0
BRIERYSIDE (Mrs. J. C. Young)	Boyd	6	7	0

The above have arrived.

SORTIE (7lb. ex.) (Mr. J. B.-Irving)	R. Armstrong	5	9	7
AIDE DE CAMP (Mr. R. J. Colling)	Owner	4	9	2
AVONFORD (Mr. E. Nolan)	R. Colling	3	8	9
I AM THE CAPTAIN (Mr. W. J. Gresson)	Rimell	6	8	8
CRETAN LASSIE (Mrs. D. P. Dick)	Dick	a	8	2
PRINCESHEE (Mr. H. Morris)	Renton	3	7	12
CLARA VERE DE VERE (Mr. J. McLean)	McGuigan	5	7	11
FILIBUSTER (Mr. W. Bullen)	W. Payne	5	7	11
COLKITTO (Mr. J. Porter)	McGuigan	3	7	8
PRINCE NECTAR (Mr. T. R. Mitchell)	Tabor	3	7	6
VIRGIN'S TANGLE (Mr. R. Cameron)	Renton	3	7	6
MOUNT MINIKIN (Mr. T. Perry)	Perry	3	7	0
ALVAIN (Mr. J. Walker)	J. Burns	4	7	0
SLOBBER (Mr. G. Peek)	Bazley	3	7	0
GRATUITOUS (Mr. R. Robson)	W. Renwick	6	7	0

4.30—**CHATELHERAULT HANDICAP PLATE** of 250 sovs. 1 m. 40 yds.

		Age	st.	lb.
ELDORADO (Mrs. M. Lambert)	Storie	3	9	3
RED LAIRD (Mr. J. B.-Irving)	R. Armstrong	4	8	10
LEGATO (Miss J. Clayton)	J. Cannon	3	8	9
SAUGOR (10lb. ex.) (Mr. B. Dennis)	Drake	6	8	8
SILVER ARROW (Sir G. Bullough)	Peacock	4	7	3
DUFFIELD (Mr. G. Peek)	Bazley	3	7	0

The above have arrived.

MEISTERSINGER (Mr. J. Kincaid)	Elsey	4	9	7
SILVER GLADE (10lb. ex.) (Mr. Boazman)	Peacock	3	9	2
PALLET CRAG (Mr. N. Field)	F. Armstrong	3	8	11
AIRMAN (Maj. J. A. Coats)	McGuigan	5	8	6
ROCKMARTIN (7lb. ex.) (Mr. Smith)	Peacock	3	8	6
SUNNIER (Mr. W. J. Peek)	Bazley	5	7	10
POUNCE (Lady Warrender)	H. A. Brown	5	7	8
LITTLETHORPE (Mr. Renton)	Renton	3	7	2
SPIRITUELLE (Mr. W. Collins)	G. Bennett	3	7	0

5.0—**ORBISTON PLATE** of 150 sovs. Three-year-olds. 1 m. 3 f.

		st.	lb.
DAGO (Mr. J. M. Clayton)	J. Cannon	8	10
YORKSHIRE HUSSAR (Capt. C. Foster)	Elsey	8	7
FAIRY FRIEND (Mrs. Hutchinson)	O. Bell	8	7
JACKAL (Mr. J. McGuigan)	McGuigan	8	7
DROSS (Capt. Wilson)	Storie	8	7

The above have arrived.

HEREDITY (Mr. D. Clarke)	G. Bennett	8	7
BOXTEL (Mr. A. K. McComber)	Beatty	8	7
STANDON (Mr. G. Peek)	Bazley	8	7
LARCHMONT (Mr. R. Renton)	Renton	8	7
MOUNT CHARLES (Mr. W. Smith)	Peacock	8	7

FORM HORSES.

2.30 Broomford.
3. 0—Craven Lassie.
3.30—Tinkle.
4. 0—Scotch Lament.
4.30—Red Laird (nap).
5. 0—Fairy Friend.

Eclipse.

WOMEN'S HOCKEY PROSPECTS.

PREPARING FOR THE SEASON.

EARLY PRACTICES WELL ATTENDED.

PREPARATIONS for the new season are now well under way, and several of the clubs held their opening practices on Saturday last. In most cases these were well attended, and there appears to be every indication of a good year in Leinster hockey. Optimists, Muckross and Antiquity are among those who have not yet started, their grounds not being available for Saturday last, but it is hoped that next week-end will see all the senior clubs in the field.

A BIG MUSTER.

No less than forty-three turned out at the Pembroke Wanderers' practice at Serpentine avenue. The Senior Cup holders are very fortunate in having all last season's team available, so that they should make a strong bid to retain the Cup for a second year. Chief among their new members is Miss P. Daly, who figured in the Leinster Schools' half line for the last few seasons.

The following officers have been elected for the coming season:—Captain, Miss N. Kenny; vice-captain, Miss C. Magee; hon. secretary, Miss C. Crean; assistant secretary, Miss N. Kelly; committee—Misses M. Whiteside, S. Starkey, N. Kenny, C. Magee, C. Crean, N. Kelly and the captains of the second and third elevens.

Dublin University have lost four prominent members of last year's XI.—Misses Thompson (centre forward), Wray (left wing), Moffett (right half) and Robinson (back). Miss Thompson will be badly missed, as she was a very hard-working forward as well as a useful scorer. She was selected on the Leinster side last year. Miss Sheila Bonner, of Alexandra College, has gone into Trinity, and will probably fill either vacancy in the back division, being equally good at half or back.

Before the close of last term the following officials were elected:—captain, Miss Northridge; vice-captain, Miss de Courcy Wheeler; hon. secretary, Miss Hassard, Church Ville, Church avenue, Rathmines; hon. treasurer, Miss Pyke.

Maids of the Mountains will be without Mrs. Lavery this year, but Miss M. Gahan will make a welcome return to the forward line. Among their new members are two very promising young players, both of whom have learned their hockey in England. One of these is a younger sister of Miss N. Moore, the Maids' centre, while the other has figured in a county schools' team across the Channel. So far the only tour fixture arranged is with Liverpool University, who will visit Dublin on the 13th February. However, Maids hope to go on tour themselves during the season.

Miss V. Mahony is the new captain, while Miss Marron (9 Clyde road) continues as secretary for another year.

Old College have started very well by acquiring no less than four of last season's Alexandra College 1st XI.—viz., Misses Stewart, Payne, B. Bonner and Meares. Miss Stewart, who has played on the Leinster Schools' team for the last two seasons, will probably renew her partnership with Miss Sexton at full back. Miss Payne will most decidedly strengthen the middle line, while Miss Meares will probably find a place among the forwards, who have lost Miss B. Porter.

Mrs. Pilkington, 17 Wellington place, has been once more elected hon. secretary, with Miss H. Joynt as hon. treasurer. The committee is Misses E. Cullen, H. Dilworth, V. Johnston, B. Maddock and S. Sexton.

OLD WESLEY'S LOSS.

The membership of Old Wesley has increased enormously since last year, and the club will be able to field five teams this season. The 1st XI. are unfortunate in having lost their prolific scorer, Miss O'Reilly. Scarcely a match was played by Wesley last season in which Miss O'Reilly did not score, and her place will be very difficult to fill.

National Bank look like having a strong senior team. Among their new members are Miss H. Scott and Miss J. Moynihan, both of whom played for University College a few seasons ago, and who also figured in the Leinster trials. The officers for the season are—Captain, Miss K. Shannon; hon. secretary, Miss K. Barrett; committee—Misses Swain, K. FitzPatrick and D. Carroll.

Optimists have lost Miss Maxwell and Miss Hanna, both of whom were married during the summer, and also Miss Frith. They have, however, been fortunate enough to get Miss Rose, the Bray centre forward, who has come to live in Dublin. The inclusion of Miss Rose should greatly strengthen the front line, but it will not be so easy to fill the vacancies in the back division.

Apart from losing Miss Rose, Bray will also be without Miss E. O'Neill and Miss G. O'Reilly. Miss O'Neill will be playing for Newcomes. These places will not be so difficult to fill, as Bray, in common with most Leinster clubs, possess among their members more halves than either forwards or backs.

MAIDS OF THE MOUNTAINS H.C.

There will be a general coached practice to-day at Carysfort avenue at 3 o'clock.

OLD COLLEGE H.C.

A general practice will be held to-day at Sydney Parade at 4.30.

NO GERMAN TEAM FOR LOS ANGELES.

BERLIN, Monday.

The German Hockey Association decided last night not to take part in the Olympic Games at Los Angeles next year because of the great expense of sending a team.

LAWN TENNIS.

VINES AGAIN BEATS PERRY.

ENGLISHMAN FALLS AWAY AFTER GOOD START.

LOS ANGELES, Monday.

Ellsworth Vines, the youthful American champion, again beat F. J. Perry, the British Davis Cup player—8-10, 6-3, 4-6, 7-5, 6-2—in the final of the Pacific South-West Championship here yesterday. This was the fourth meeting of these two players, and Vines has won three times and Perry once.

Perry's strong driving was very effective in the first set, which went to eighteen games, before he won it with a beautiful shot down the side line. Vines took the second set, but Perry made a "come-back" in the third, and drove and placed the ball so well that Vines was caught out of position repeatedly. This, in fact, was a bad patch for Vines, who served no fewer than twenty-three double faults. He recovered in the fourth and fifth sets, however, and, with his service again under control, he made his opponent do much running about. Vines, showing fine judgment in coming up to the net, had little difficulty in dealing with the Englishman's returns, which lacked their former sting.

The match was witnessed by 35,000 people.

ST. ANDREW'S JUNIORS "AT HOME."

The St. Andrew's Club juniors' "at home" was held on Saturday last at St. Andrew's. Results:—

Girls' Singles (Championship) — Miss N. Sheehan beat Miss B. White—6-2, 6-1.

Boys' Championship Singles—P. Mathews beat E. Khan—6-0, 6-1.

Girls' Handicap Singles—Miss J. White beat Miss N. Meagher—6-3, 6-3.

Boys' Handicap Singles—O. Meagher beat E. Khan—5-8, 8-6, 6-4.

Mixed Doubles—E. Khan and Miss N. Sheehan divided with O. Meagher and Miss N. Meagher.

MRS. PITTMAN'S LATEST SUCCESS.

BRONXVILLE, Monday.

Mrs. J. B. Pittman again emphasised her superiority over Miss Joan Ridley when, for the fourth time during their tour, they fought out the final of an American tournament. Mrs. Pittman, who had won two of the previous encounters, this time won the New York Field Club's Tournament, defeating Miss Ridley 5-7, 8-6, 7-5. Mrs. Pittman and Miss Ridley won the Women's Doubles, defeating the Italian, Baroness Levi, and Miss Hawk, 6-3, 6-3.

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SWIMMING

THE KING'S HOSPITAL GALA.

KEEN COMPETITION AT IVEAGH BATHS.

The annual gala of the King's Hospital School Swimming Club took place at the Iveagh Baths last evening, and was well attended by the boys of the school and their friends, who witnessed an interesting programme of club events.

The Rev. Mr. Butler, headmaster of the school, takes a keen personal interest in swimming as a physical exercise and sport for boys, and evidence of his interest was to be observed in the all-round standard of the contestants, which was distinctly good. Each of the events attracted a fine entry, and competition was keen in every contest. Details:—

44 Yards Handicap (under 16).—Heat 1—S. B. Gillespie (2), 1; F. J. Tyndall (7), 2; E. Henderson (7), 3. Seven competed. Time—44 secs. Heat 2—J. Jenkins (11), and W. Rea (7), dead-heat, 1; E. W. Dunlop (4), 3. Eight competed. Time—37 secs. Final—Rea, 1; Jenkins, 2. Dunlop, 3. Won by a yard; a touch. Time—42 3-5 secs.

22 Yards Beginners' Handicap—E. Horne (9), 1; R. Foster (5), 2; R. Eadie (scr.), 3. Seven competed. Time—22 1-5 secs.

44 Yards Junior Championship (under 16)—A. Ellison, 1; E. W. Dunlop, 2. Four competed. Won by a yard. Time—38 4-5 secs.

22 Yards Handicap (under 14)—E. W. Dunlop (scr.), 1; E. Turpin (10), 2. Time—27 2-5 secs.

66 Yards Senior Championship—C. Connolly, 1; J. Murdock, 2; H. Beggs, 3. Won by two feet. Time—57 2-5 secs.

66 Yards Senior Handicap.—Heat 1—A. Ellison (9), 1; H. Beggs (9), 2; J. Fraser (14), 3. Six competed. Time—67 secs. Heat 2—C. Connolly (scr.), 1; H. R. Mapother (1), 2. Four competed. Time—58 secs. Final—Mapother, 1; Ellison, 2; Connolly, 3. Time—59 secs. Won by three yards.

Junior Diving Handicap—J. Balmer (3), 1; S. B. Gillespie (4), 2; J. Jenkins (4), 3. Five competed.

Senior Diving Handicap—J. Balmer (3), 1; J. Murdock (scr.), 2; H. R. Mapother (3), 3. Five competed.

Squadron Race (88 yards)—Present, 1; Past, 2. Won a fine race by a yard. Time—73 secs.

Candle Race (44 yards)—J. Fraser, 1; E. Dunlop, 2; W. Rea, 3. Fourteen competed.

Junior Consolation Race (22 yards)—R. Elgee, 1; H. Masterson, 2; A. Turpin, 3. Ten competed. Time—19 secs.

44 Yards Senior Consolation Race—T. F. Blennerhassett, 1; H. Beggs, 2. Three competed. Time—38 secs.

44 Yards Breast and Back Handicap—A. H. Mapother (10), 1; J. Balmer (4), 2; W. Rea (6), 3. Six competed. Time—57 secs.

GREYHOUND RACING.

JACK KNOWS BREAKS A RECORD.

£50 ASIDE MATCH FOR SHELBOURNE PARK.

ANOTHER track record was created at Shelbourne Park last night, when Jack Knows, in winning the Irish Championship 600 Yards Race in 34.51 seconds, beat the previous best time of 34.87 seconds by Future Cutlet earlier in the season.

The winner, who also holds the 585 yards track record at Harold's Cross Park, was fully extended to beat Castleve, who was none too favourably drawn, and a great race up the straight ended in Jack Knows winning by a length and a half.

The pair have been matched for £50 aside and a cup presented by the Shelbourne Park management for Saturday, October 17th, over 600 yards.

Wild Scotsman and Solitaire were easy winners of their respective heats in the Produce Stake, while Splonk's Brother gave a good display of jumping in winning the Shelbourne Hurdle. Details:—

SHELBOURNE PRODUCE STAKE.

Seventh Heat—Dr. F. Walsh's bd. d. WILD SCOTSMAN (5) (Scotch Reel—Flag o' Flame), 7 to 4 on, 1; Mr. T. Lee's THE BATTERY (1), 10 to 1 agst., 2. Also ran—Land Ahoy (2), 10 to 1; Chicken Chop (3), 20 to 1; Noel (4), 2 to 1. A distance. 30.94 secs.

Third Heat (Bitches)—Mr. J. Shannon's r. f. SOLITAIRE (3) (Curristown—Finola III.), 4 to 1, 1; Mr. L. Morahan's MAYO LIBRARIAN (5), 5 to 2, 2. Also ran—Don't Betty (4), 3 to 1; Good Grubber (1), 5 to 4; Rambling Neil (2), 100 to 7. Two lengths. 31.40 secs.

SHELBOURNE HURDLE (600 yards)—Master F. O'Donoghue's w. bd. d. SPLONK'S BROTHER (1) (What's Next—Lino), 6 to 4, 1; Miss R. Keenan's TAILOR'S TWIST (4), 8 to 1, 2. Also ran—Back River (3), 3 to 1; Kid's Cap (5), 6 to 4. Two lengths. 37.40 secs.

IRISH CHAMPIONSHIP (600 yards race)—Mr. E. O'Sullivan's bk. d. JACK KNOWS (1) (Caherea Boy—Farahna), 6 to 4 agst., 1; Mr. M. Quirke's CASTLEVE (6), 6 to 4 on, 2. Also ran—Keep Clear (3), 5 to 1; Bridle Hand (4), 10 to 1. One and a half lengths. 34.51 secs.

CLONMEL STAKE—Mr. J. Morrisroe's f. d. MIRTHFUL OUTCAST (2) (Craigs o' Burren—Mirthful Jessie), 5 to 1, 1; Mr. M. Walsh's SHADY MACK (2), 6 to 4, 2. Also ran—Bachelor Tom (6), 6 to 1; Celbridge Boy (3), evens; Plomans (5), 100 to 6; Stoneyman (1), 6 to 1. Six lengths. 31.17 secs.

CELTIC HURDLE—Mr. J. Fitzgerald's f. bd. d. BUT A CHANCE (4) (Small Lady—Tanagra), 5 to 1, 1; Mr. J. Fitzsimons's HIGHER ROCKET (6), 5 to 2, 2. Also ran—Boxer's Pal (1), 2 to 1; Aisling (3), 6 to 4. Four lengths. 35.24 secs.

DUBLIN STAKE.—Mr. J. Mullen's bd. d. SION BOY (1) (Noinin Beg—Some Stunt), 7 to 4 agst., 1; Mr. P. Gilsenan's FORBIDDEN LOVE (6), 5 to 1, 2. Also ran—Shady Set (4), 100 to 8; Green Bushes (5), 5 to 4 on; Bath Brick (2), 10 to 1; Myrtle Grove (3), 6 to 1. One and a half lengths. 31.86 secs.

HAROLD'S CROSS PARK—TO-NIGHT.

8.15—**ULSTER PLATE**—Scarden Lad, Gentle Tomboy, Dheel Valley, Slanemore, Glee Orby, More Boasting. Subs.—Captain's Hill, Querrin Star.

8.30—**IRISH GREYHOUND GRAND NATIONAL** (hurdles), 525 yards.—Semi-final—Heat 1—Roscommon Deputy, Friend in Need, Nirvagha, Emir Bey.

8.45—**LEINSTER PLATE,** 585 yards.—Pistol, Clissie, Celbridge Boy, Carolina Beauty, Glen Robin, Mount Gable. Subs.—Cheerful Knight, Great Event.

9.0—**MUNSTER PLATE,** 525 yards.—Turpentine, Steady Karlene, Eclipse May, Black Ann, Wee Hope, Bonnybrook Maid. Subs.—Forbidden Love, Bacchus.

9.15—**IRISH GREYHOUND GRAND NATIONAL** (hurdles), 525 yards—Semi-final—Heat 2.—Markham's Cross, Harwig, Pagan Chief, Glorioso.

9.30—**CONNAUGHT PLATE,** 525 yards.—What, Kilmorgan, Bachelor Tom, Clever Captain, Good and Lucky, Miss Bottle. Subs.—Under the Tower, Favourite Hand.

9.45—**LIFFEY PLATE,** 525 yards.—Darcy's Gift, Old Doctor, Gambler's Son, Coolaghmore, Roving Lily, Old Costume. Subs.—Cobla, Querrin Cross.

TRALEE—TO-NIGHT.

First Race—Heart of Steel, Clunagh Spiffy, Grand Salute, Lord Edward, Bowler's Fancy, Silver Treasure. Subs.—Coqueline, Fred.

Second Race—Daisy My Girl, Wisdom Bead, Alcestor, Greenville Boy, Radio Lass, United State.

Third Race (hurdle)—Star of Oaknark, Knocknacroidhe Bland Fills, Inler. Subs.—Column Leader, More Melody.

Fourth Race—Tall Tourist, Paddy Dear, Aspro, Ward Park Eldorado King.

Fifth Race—Eagle's Call, Gin and Pep, Cheerio Lads, Desert Bridge, Crescent, Blue Ripple.

Sixth Race—Final of sweepstake.

DUNMORE PARK—TO-NIGHT

7.50—**ALEXANDRA STAKES.** 435 yards.—Mourne Molly, Kennan's Goslin, Necessary, New Flame, Robin's Song, Double Shot.

8.10—**BRANTWOOD HURDLES.** 435 yards.—General Walsh, Ballyboy Bus, Go Foolish, Rio Dick. Subs.—Go Careless, Tobberone Lad.

8.30—**CRUSADER STAKES.** 435 yards.—Maghereagh Lad, Dan Doyle, Laragh Damsel, Hall for Hans, Lady Hastings, Billy's Corner.

8.50—**DUNMORE CESAREWITCH (First Heat).** 640 yards.—Golden Black, Amaracam, Reggie, Old Bow, Maghull's Pride, Julie. Subs.—Blue Gift, Weir Lad.

9.10—**LISNALINCHY STAKES.** 600 yards—Old Dromore, Mild Old Scotch, Lucky Toss, Story Teller, Prog, Pretender.

9.30 — **DUNMORE CESAREWITCH (Second Heat).** 640 yards.—Birchill Sapphire, Desmond Mor, Cunning Rambler, Annie White, Eden Laddie, Pedlar Palmer. Subs.—Blue Gift, Weir Lad.

9.50—**DUNMORE CESAREWITCH (Third Heat).** 640 yards.—Half-time Jimmy, Glen Robin, Ballygally Lad, Bocaill Saor, Crossmore Beauty, Ballyratilhan. Subs.—Blue Gift, Weir Lad.

CELTIC PARK RESULTS.

Semper Vive (11/10), Meinagower (13/8), Smiling Princess (4/1), Nedger (4/5), Hook Chief (6/4), Kilnaglory (11/8), Tenth Lock (9/4).

First double—Meinagower and Smiling Princess, £1 18/-. Second double—Hook Chief and Kilnaglory, £1.

CLONMEL RESULTS.

Fighting Front (6/4), Think Quick (5/4), Soldancl (2/1), Liam Paddy (2/1 on), Old Harkaway (5/4), Meg o' the Mill (10/1).

CORK RESULTS.

Ground Kainite (8/1), Tommy's Lad (2/1 on), Billy Lad (evens), Silvery Sail (3/1 on), Delage Breac (6/4), Fancy Billy (3/1).

CLAY BIRD SHOOTING.

MISS FOOTE'S SUCCESS AT DUBLIN GUN CLUB.

The above club held their last open meeting of the season on Sunday, guns competing from Counties Clare, Kildare, and Dublin. Excellent performances by Miss Foote, of Co. Clare; Dr. Spencer Sheill, Dr. P. J. Keogh and Mr. T. Crowe, of Larch Hill, were witnessed. The main feature of the programme was the 25-bird walk-up event under game conditions, Dr. Spencer Sheill being the winner with 24 kills out of a possible 25. He was closely followed by Mr. Crowe and Dr. Sanders with a score of 20 kills each. The prizes for the Lourdes Hospital event (presented by Mr. H. R. Lane and Mr. F. Perry) were won by Dr. P. J. Keogh and Mr. J. J. McDermott. Results:—

Event 1—10 Bird Open Sweepstakes Handicap—Dr. P. J. Keogh, 20/100 points, 1st; C. Farrell, 15/96 points, 2nd.

Event 2—25 Birds, single and double rise walk up—Dr. Spencer Sheill, 21 kills, 1st; T. Crowe, Larch Hill, and Dr. Sanders tied for second and third places, 20 kills; F. Perry, 18 kills, 4th; J. J. McDermott, 17 kills, 5th.

Event 3—Lourdes Hospital—10 Birds, single rise, kills to count—Dr. P. J. Keogh, 10 kills, 1st; C. Farrell, J. J. McDermott, R. H. Lane, T. Crowe and Dr. Spencer Sheill tied for 2nd and 3rd places with 9 kills each. Result—J. J. McDermott, 2nd; R. H. Lane, 3rd.

Event 4—10 Birds Scoring Handicap—Miss Foote 25/100 points, Dr. P. J. Keogh 12/100 points, Dr. Sheill 15/100 points and J. J. McDermott 10/100 points tied for 1st and 2nd places. Result—Miss Foote 25/95 points, 1st; J. W. McDermott 10/88 points, 2nd.

Jack Petersen, Cardiff, who this year won the A.B.A. light-heavy-weight championship, made his first appearance in the professional ranks yesterday, when in a twelve rounds contest at the Stadium Club, London, he defeated Bill Partridge, Poplar, in the fourth round, on the intervention of the referee. Petersen, in spite of a big concession in weight, outclassed the Londoner, who was twice floored in the fourth round.

GOLF.

LADIES' CHAMPIONSHIP.

OPENING DAY'S PLAY AT ROSSES POINT AND GANTON.

BIG MARGINS AT ROSSES POINT.

HOLDER'S VICTORY IN FIRST ROUND.

By Our Golf Correspondent.

SLIGO, Monday.

THERE were half a dozen scratchings from the first round of the Irish Ladies' Championship to-day at Rosses Point, so that only fourteen matches were played, and of these half were won by big margins.

The interest of the spectators seemed to be centred in the meeting of the holder, Mrs. J. B. Walker, and Miss Fanny Blake, the latter of whom it was thought would give the Addington and Island golfer a tight match. Mrs. Walker must have thought so herself, judging by the manner in which she started. She was obviously nervous for the first few holes, and gave her opponent chances, which, had the latter availed herself of them, would, perhaps, have made a difference in the result. As a matter of fact, it was not until very late in the match that Mrs. Walker settled down to her usual steady, short game, and, playing it finely from the tenth hole, she went on to achieve a comfortable victory by 3 and 2. On the other hand, Miss Blake's short game handicapped her considerably. Right from the beginning she was putting as she seldom does in an important match, and when she was not short was leaving herself too much to do with the putt back. To that more than anything else has to be attributed her poor showing from the eleventh to the sixteenth. She also played some indifferent drives, skying a few, whereas Mrs. Walker was consistently good in her long game.

As an indication of the nature of the start, it may be mentioned that they halved the first four holes in 6, 5, 6, 4, against the bogey score for these holes of 17, and when they reached the turn they were each 44, or 5 worse than bogey, which, with the conditions perfect, was not championship golf.

THE LEAD CHANGES.

It was, however, a very even struggle to the thirteenth, but only once did Miss Blake lead, that being at the tenth, where she had a 5, but the lead changed at the thirteenth, from which point Mrs. Walker did not look back. There Miss Blake again took 3 putts, and a weak third to the fourteenth lost her the next, while the holing of a long one by Mrs. Walker on the fifteenth left her dormy 3.

Mrs. Walker, now that she has got going, will surely make a great bid to retain her title, but it is unfortunate for her that in her half is Miss Dorothy Pim, who had a very substantial first-round win over a long handicap player in Miss Netta Morrissey, of Muskerry. Miss Pim is playing splendid golf, and if she is favourite for the championship it is not without good reason, as she is probably the best lady golfer we have had in this country since the days of Miss May Hezlet and Miss Rhona Adair (Mrs. Cuthell).

Mrs. Cuthell, the president of the Irish Ladies' Union, had a virtual walk-over into the second round, beating her young rival, Miss Young, by 8 and 7.

One of the surprises of the round, indeed, perhaps the only one, was the defeat of Miss Pat Jameson by Mrs. Clarke, of Royal Portrush. It was a capital recovery by Mrs. Clarke, who was 3 down going to the eighth. Mrs. Clarke was dormy 1, then Miss Jameson failed to get her wooden club second away, and she not only failed to even halve the hole, but lost it, Mrs. Clarke, on with a good second, being down in 4.

ARTIST WITH THE MASHIE.

A trio of what may be described as the young school of lady golfers did splendidly in the first round—Miss Reade, Miss Ellis, and Miss Sherlock. Miss Reade is a daughter of the late Harold Reade, one of the most skilful golfers of the old Portrush days, and who wore his red coat until it could not be worn any longer. She went out on the seventeenth green to Mrs. Madill, who, after the match, paid her a pretty compliment by stating that she is one of the most promising of the young players, and an artist with that club on which so much of the golfer's success depends—the mashie.

Want of experience brought Miss Reade a good deal of trouble, but, with that trusty mashie, she extricated herself from her difficulties remarkably well, and it was a feather in her cap when she brought the Milltown lady so far for her hard-won success.

Miss Ellis is also a coming player if ever there was one. A daughter of Major Ellis, a former captain of the Royal County Down Club, she is built for golfing, and that she can play was reflected in the extent of her win over Mrs. Duncan—6 and 5. Then there was the 5 and 4 win of Miss Pat Sherlock, the twenty-year-old daughter of the Dublin City Sheriff, over Mrs. Dwyer, of Cork, a former holder of the title. The younger player starter nervously, but, with a lead of one hole at the turn, she gained confidence, and from the tenth to the end of the match she was only a couple of strokes worse than bogey for these holes.

Mrs. Todd, of Kilkenny, the former Rosslare golfer, played the best golf of the afternoon against Mrs. Solomons, of Dun Laoghaire. The latter, it is true, was right off her putting, but she could not have beaten the lady from the Marble City, even had she been playing her best. Mrs. Todd reached the turn in 40, for a lead of six holes, and, with such an arrears to face, Mrs. Solomons's defeat by 8 and 7 was not surprising.

Mrs. Hall, of Foxrock, a recent winner of the championship; Miss June Jameson and Miss May Fitzgibbon also got through to the second round, which will provide some interesting matches, but, on the form displayed so far, it looks as if Miss Pim will become the new champion.

RESULTS—FIRST ROUND.

Miss P. Gardiner (Killymoon) w.o., Mrs. Lane-Foley (Camberley Heath) scr.

Mrs. Hall (Foxrock) beat Miss F. Murphy (Cork), 3 and 2.

Mrs. Cuthell (Royal Portrush) beat Miss L. Young (Royal County Down), 8 and 7.

Mrs. Madill (Milltown) beat Miss D. Reade (Royal Portrush) 2 and 1.

Miss D. Pim (Royal Portrush) beat Miss N. Morrissey (Muskerry), 7 and 5.

Mrs. Kidd (Kingstown) beat Miss A. Gardiner (Killymoon), 5 and 3.

Mrs. J. B. Walker (Island) (holder) beat Miss Blake (Hermitage), 3 and 2.

Miss E. Ellis (Royal County Down) beat Mrs. R. Duncan (County Sligo), 6 and 5.

Mrs. O'Hara (County Sligo) beat Miss M. Ingram (Fortwilliam), 2 and 1.

Mrs. Todd (Kilkenny) beat Mrs. Solomons (Kingstown), 8 and 7.

Miss B. Gardiner (Killymoon) w.o., Mrs. Brann (Galway) scr.

Mrs. H. Clark (Royal Portrush) beat Miss P. Jameson (Island), by two holes.

Miss P. Sherlock (Hermitage) beat Mrs. W. Dwyer (Cork), 5 and 4.

Miss J. Jameson (Island) beat Mrs. Crabbe (Foxrock), 4 and 2.

Miss D. Ferguson (Royal County Down) w.o., Mrs. A. Jackson (County Sligo) scr.

Mrs. Knox (Lahinch) w.o., Miss R. Dickson (Royal County Down) scr.

Miss N. O'Brien (Kenmare) w.o., Miss E. Ruttledge (Hythe) scr.

Miss M. Fitzgibbon (Greystones) beat Miss N. Byrne (Royal County Down), 8 and 6.

Mrs. Lock (Royal County Down) w.o., Mrs. Dowling (Lahinch) scr.

Miss Dinan (Cork) beat Miss Cafferty (Ballina), by one hole.

CLUB NOTICES AND REPORTS.

ROYAL DUBLIN.

Entries for T. M. Healy Cup close on Thursday morning at 10.30.

MILLTOWN.

Ladies' Branch—Mrs. Power's prize. Class I.—Mrs. Rose, all square. Class II.—Mrs. Pike, 6 down. Winner of Class I. to play winner of Class II.

MALAHIDE.

Monthly cup final—T. J. Bracken, 2 up; C. O'Shea, J. Duric and A. Adams tied for second place with 1 up. Saturday next, special prize, to be followed by supper and presentation of prizes.

WOODBROOK.

Ladies' Branch.—To-day, prize presented by Dr. C. King, 18 holes v. bogey. Draws—11.30, 3.30. Tuesday, 6th October, medal, 18 holes v. bogey; arrange opponents.

CARRICKMINES.

September 26th, men's singles, 36 holes, strokes, for prize presented by the Committee. Result—1. O. C. Fry (13), 73, 72—145; 2. G. L. Kennedy (7), 77, 75—152; 3. W. S. Cunningham (6), 79, 74—153; 4. G. Mackey Smith (11), 76, 78—154.

NEWLANDS.

Ladies' Branch.—Monthly medal—Miss Guinan (14), 77; Miss Grennan (33), 78.

KNIGHTS OF THE ROAD G.S.

President's prize (at Woodbrook)—P. Conway (7), 71, and D. E. McCarthy (18), 71, tied (re-play, D. E. McCarthy 78); R. P. Gough (14), 72; G. Collopy (15), 72; M. J. Walsh (11), 73; J. P. Hamilton (19), 73; J. P. Healy (17), 73. Prize best nett handicap 10 and under—R. Beattie (3), 74. Prize best nett handicap 19 and over—J. L.

(Continued in previous column.)

Slowey (19), 72. Fourball (bogey) sweepstake—H. Denton and M. J. Walsh, 13 up; H. M. Stanley and R. P. Gough, 7 up.

NOMADS.

Nomads Cup—A. P. Huet (13) and J. Lynch (14), 73; F. J. Cooper (4), 74.

Semi-final Fourball—J. Lawler and W. Gough, 5 up; D. O'Gorman and T. Gordon, 3 up; J. G. Mathews and T. A. Brindley, T. H. Dyer and A. P. Huet, M. J. MacDermott and D. Denton, 2 up.

TULLAMORE.

Fourball v. bogey—E. Doyle and Dr. Fay, Carlow; W. J. Bartley and W. Caulfield, Castlerea, and A. Briscoe and J. Caulfield, Castlerea, tied with 8 up. The Garda Cup was won by the Rev. G. Cooney, C.C., Tullamore. Sweepstake, Section 2—D. McCarthy, Tullamore. Putting competition won by W. J. Bartley, Castlerea, and J. Doorley, Cloghan, Birr.

WATERFORD.

Summer cup (36 holes, strokes)—P. Devine (32), 139; J. A. Nolan (40), 145. 18 holes—Seniors—T. W. H. Davies (5), 71. Junior—N. E. McCann (17), 70. Best gross—Senior—J. C. Brown, 154. Junior—M. K. Brazil, 180.

GREYSTONES.

Men's Medal.—Final—D. Fitzgerald (15), 69; H. K. West (3), 70; J. D. Parsons (2), 72; R. Skelly (20), 72; G. R. Oulton (9), 73; T. E. Gloster (24), 74; J. B. Pettigrew (10), 76.

October 3rd—Annual general meeting 4 p.m.

DUN LAOGHAIRE.

Ladies' Open Strokes (British Legion)—Mrs. Stewart (Castle) (36), 70; Miss O'Neil Donnellan (Kingstown) (21), 74. Best gross—Mrs. Huet (Greystones), 79. Thursday next—Medal v. bogey. Draws at 11 a.m. and 2 p.m.

FOXROCK.

Mixed Foursomes Sweepstake.—First Round—D. J. and Mrs. Collins beat H. FitzHerbert and partner; J. D. Fitzgerald and Miss Keogh beat C. J. and Mrs. O'Reilly; B. T. and Mrs. O'Reilly beat O. Murphy and Mrs. J. D. FitzGerald; R. R. Martin and Miss Mahony beat F. D. and Mrs. Hurley; T. C. and Mrs. Ross beat John and Mrs. Irwin. The second round is to be completed by Sunday, 11th October.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS G.S.

Results of competitions played on the Grange links.—Strokes—N. A. Chance (9), 71; B. Kuntz (22), 74. Fourball—P. J. Hanlon (7) and W. Quinn (10), 9 up; J. F. Monks (20) and R. R. Archibald (13), 5 up.

ENGLISH LADIES AT GANTON.

MISS FISHWICK'S FIGHT AGAINST ODDS.

SCARBOROUGH, Monday.

THERE was a small entry for the English Ladies' Championship at Ganton, a beautiful course on the Yorkshire Moors near Scarborough. The first and part of the second round matches were played to-day, and produced some excellent golf. The most noteworthy of the results was the defeat of Miss Diana Fishwick, the only ex British champion in the field, who was beaten by Mrs. Percy Garon, an experienced championship competitor, who recently won the German Championship, after a match that attracted all the crowd and most of those competitors who had finished their games. Mrs. Garon lost the first hole, and then won the next six with some marvellous putting, taking the fourth, fifth and sixth in "birdie" figures. She won the eighth and ninth, and turned with an overwhelming advantage of six holes, being out in 38—the scratch score.

Then Miss Fishwick won the tenth, eleventh and twelfth holes, but lost the thirteenth, and it seemed finished, Mrs. Garon being 4 up with 5 to play. Miss Fishwick's second attempt at recovery was even stronger, for she won the fourteenth, fifteenth and sixteenth holes, and was only 1 down. She only halved the seventeenth, and, going out for a long drive at the eighteenth, hooked into a bad place, and had a fruitless half to be beaten by one hole.

Miss Gourlay and Mrs. Guedalla, former winners of the title, won their matches. Miss Gourlay, out in 40, was 6 up on Mrs. Wilbraham, and won by 8 and 7. Mrs. Guedalla had to fight for her victory to the last green, but Mrs. Porter—runner-up last year—was beaten by Lady Alness.

Miss Pauline Doran, the girl champion, won a notable victory, beating Miss Regnart by 5 and 4.

FIRST ROUND RESULTS.

Mrs. Peppercorn (Copt Heath) beat Mrs. Soppitt (Horsforth)—4 and 3.

Miss Diana Esmond (North Berwick) beat Miss A. M. Hyde (Sandy Lodge)—5 and 4.

Miss Roberts Harris (Broxbourne) beat Mrs. Clement (Ringway)—4 and 3.

Miss Doreen Snook (Notts) beat Miss Tetlow (Huddersfield)—5 and 3.

Miss Dulce Snook (Notts) w.o., Miss I. Stuart (Royal Mid-Surrey) scr.

Mrs. Brindle (Royal West Norfolk) beat Miss A. Mellor (Denton)—2 and 1.

Mrs. A. P. Bland (Moortown) beat Mrs. Chadwick (Wakefield)—one hole.

Miss Elsie Corlett (Royal Lytham and St. Annes) beat Miss K. Gannham (Naze)—4 and 3.

SECOND ROUND.

Mrs. W. H. Wood (Manchester) beat Miss K. Platts (Headingley)—one hole.

Miss P. Reed (Minehead and West Somerset) beat Mrs. R. J. McNair (St. George's Hill)—2 and 1.

Miss Mabel Wragg (Sheffield and District) beat Miss Isabel Worsley (Ganton)—3 and 2.

Lady Alness (Harrogate) beat Mrs. R. O. Porter (Wentworth)—one hole.

Mrs. Walter Payne (Addington) beat Miss Judith Fowler (Harrogate)—5 and 4.

Miss Molly Gourlay (Camberley Heath) beat Mrs. H. Wilbraham (Thorpe Hall)—8 and 7.

Miss Dobson (Brocton Hall) beat Miss Jessie Snook (Notts)—2 and 1.

Miss Gwen Cradock-Hartopp (Cavendish) beat Miss E. Powell-Williams (Yelverton)—two holes.

Miss F. Marjorie Livingstone (Burhill) beat Mrs. H. Wilcox Wilson (Nevill)—6 and 4.

Mrs. Ernest Swinscoe (Dore and Totley) beat Mrs. Alan Hardicker (Wilmslow)—two holes.

Mrs. V. H. Richardson (Harrogate) w.o., Mrs. A. S. Matthews (Walton Heath) scr.

Miss Olive Read (Westgate-on-Sea and Birchington) beat Miss Eileen Morton (Halifax)—4 and 2.

Mrs. Percy Garon (Thorndon Park) beat Miss Diana Fishwick (North Foreland)—one hole.

Mrs. R. H. Deane (Seaford Head) beat Miss Barbara Lees (Halifax Bradley Hall) at the 19th.

Miss Esmond beat Mrs. Peppercorn—one hole.

Miss Doreen Snook beat Miss Roberts Harris—6 and 4.

Miss Dulce Snook beat Mrs. Brindle—4 and 3.

Miss Corlett beat Mrs. Bland—5 and 4.

Mrs. Clarke (Hayling) beat Miss Dorothy Spalding (Burton-on-Trent)—6 and 4.

Miss Mary Johnson (Hornsea) beat Miss Betty Dix Perkin (Sandy Lodge) at the 19th.

Miss B. M. Brown (Formby) w.o., Mrs. Lesley Grange (West Hill) scr.

Miss Lobbett (North Hants) beat Mrs. S. V. Hicks (Roehampton)—4 and 3.

Miss R. Leetham (Harrogate) beat Miss Sylvia Bailey (Coombe Wood)—2 and 1.

Miss Diana Plumpton (Frinton-on-Sea) beat Miss M. White (Roehampton)—1 hole.

Miss G. E. C. Rudgard (York) beat Miss C. E. Uthhoff (Meyrick Park, Bournemouth)—4 and 2.

Miss Rhona Rabbidge (North Middlesex) beat Miss Jessie Firth (Formby)—2 and 1.

Miss E. Funnell (North Middlesex) w.o., Miss Dorothy Pearson (Nevill) scr.

Miss Dorothy Marshall (North Shore, Skegness) beat Miss Joan Horrell (Worthing)—2 and 1.

Mrs. Herbert Guedalla (Walton Heath) beat Mrs. L. C. Barrett (Horsforth)—1 hole.

Miss Auline Doran (North Surrey) beat Miss A. C. Regnart (Addington)—5 and 4.

Miss Wanda Morgan (Westgate-on-Sea and Birchington) beat Miss Jean Hamilton (Tandridge)—2 and 1.

Miss K. Ollier (North Manchester) beat Miss D. Hartill (Copt Heath)—3 and 1.

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Lord Tennyson's team to tour the West Indies has now been completed, and is:—Lord Tennyson (Hampshire), A. P. F. Chapman (Kent), G. T. S. Stevens (Middlesex), G. D. Kemp-Welch (Warwickshire), A. E. G. Baring (Hampshire), Captain G. N. Scott-Chad (Norfolk), Woolley (Kent), Hendren (Middlesex), Geary (Leicestershire), Bowley (Sussex), Brown (Hampshire), and Nichols (Essex).

The party leaves England on February 2nd aboard the s.s. Bayano.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

CROSS-CHANNEL RESULTS.

GLASGOW CUP—SEMI-FINALS.

	Goals		Goals
Celtic	1	Glasgow Rangers	1

Replay Tuesday, October 6th, at Ibrox Park.

Queen's Park	4	Clyde	0

SCOTTISH LEAGUE.

Aberdeen	3	Falkirk	1
Dundee	6	Third Lanark	3

ENGLISH LEAGUE—DIV. III. (SOUTH).

Northampton	1	Luton	2

MARSDEN BENEFIT MATCH.

Sheffield XI.	1	F.A. XI.	0

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RUGBY FOOTBALL.

WELCH REGIMENT WIN ALL-INDIA CUP.

CALCUTTA, Monday.

By defeating the 2nd Prince of Wales's Volunteers in the final of the All-India Rugby Cup to-day, the 2nd Battalion Welch Regiment, stationed at Rawalpindi, repeated their feat of 1902, when they last won the All-India Rugby Cup. They won to-day's match by 13 points to 3 points.

The Welch Regiment won the Priory Cup in 1923, and were holders of the British Army Rugby Championship in 1920, 1921, 1922 and 1924.

WANDERERS F.C.

The following teams will represent Wanderers on Saturday next:—

1st XV. v. North of Ireland, at Lansdowne road, at 3.15—E. C. Ridgeway; R. L. Birmingham, A. C. Preston, F. W. Williamson, J. C. D. Hewat; P. F. Murray, R. B. Willwood; J. D. Clinch (capt.), C. R. Graves, H. J. Hilton, L. Halligan, W. McCormack, M. McQuaid, J. J. Murphy, G. W. T. Robertson.

2nd XV. v. Blackrock, at Nutley avenue, at 3.15—E. Vaughan; J. H. Laing, J. T. Keegan, I. Meeke, J. G. Grealy; W. H. Peyton, H. S. Beere; B. Williams, J. P. Lawlor, N. B. Smillie, S. McGibney, J. Walsh, A. L. Murray (capt.), B. Doyle, J. J. Camp.

3rd XV. v. Blackrock, at Lansdowne road, at 3.15—A. H. Butler; J. C. Cherry, D. R. Roantree, J. B. Lambert, J. K. Miles; J. Riley, G. Rae; E. W. Benn, P. Verlin, F. R. Dowling, P. J. McHale, C. S. Sheppard, B. C. Peterson, J. J. Carroll, J. M. Johnston.

CLUB NOTICES.

NAVAN R.F.C.—Officers for the season—President, Mr. J. L. Finnegan; vice-presidents, Messrs. C. F. Watkins, R. Barnes, A. J. Lampkin, T. W. Pyper, R. Carson, R. J. Carlton, A. P. Matthews, T.D.; C. H. Briscoe; hon. treasurer, P. C. Taylor; hon. secretary, M. M. Kirk; captain, P. Russell; vice-captain, F. F. Hoddget; team secretary, P. Byrne; committee, the president, captain, vice-captain, hon. secretary, and Messrs. R. Byrne, J. Dorris, E. J. Davis, J. E. Duffy and M. Crinnon; selection committee, captain, vice-captain, Messrs. P. Byrne, J. Dorris, W. M. Kirk.

TEMPLEMORE R.F.C.—Officers for season—President, Mr. R. Meagher; vice-president, Mr. M. Meagher; hon. secretary, William Keeshan; hon. treasurer, Mr. J. J. McCann; captain, Mr. J. P. Kevin; vice-captain, Mr. J. J. McCann.

BIRR R.F.C.—Officers for season — President, Dr. J. D. Houlihan; hon. club secretary, R. A. McGrath; hon. team secretary, T. A. Atkins; hon. treasurer, T. C. O'Gorman; captain, P. H. Perry; vice-captain, W. J. O'Connor; committee, V. Barber, S. Keogh, J. Farrell, V. Oakley, J. Frizelle, W. Milne, J. C. Dooly. Dublin 2nd XV.'s requiring away fixtures are requested to apply to hon. secretary.

LURGAN R.F.C.—Officers for season—Patrons, Right Hon. Lord Lurgan, K.C.V.O., and Lieutenant Colonel Sir W. J. Allen, M.P., D.L.; president, Mr. V. M. Harper; hon. secretaries, Messrs. W. H. Gracey and H. T. Pollock; hon. treasurer, J. H. Clegg; captain, 1st XV., Rev. G. A. Boulger, B.A.; captain, 2nd XV., W. Hanna.

CO. CARLOW R.F.C.—Officers for season—President—Mr. J. Smith (re-elected); vice-presidents, P. C. Bergin, Captain H. Bruen, Captain W. N. G. Douglas, G. Good, Dr. T. A. Greene, F. W. Law, solicitor; T. Murphy, H. O'Donnell, solicitor; Dr. R. D. Beale, O. Singer, A. Talbot-Brady, Capt. E. M. Thomas (re-elected); J. J. Duggan, solicitor; J. N. T. McConkey and R. H. Ross; captain, W. L. Duggan (re-elected); vice-captain, W. J. Fenlon; committee, B. C. Slocock, R. D. McDonnell, J. R. S. Willis, P. B. Walshe, J. J. Julian, J. J. Oliver; hon. treasurer, T. J. Stephenson, National Bank, Carlow; hon. secretary, P. J. Ryan "Grosvenor place," Carlow (re-elected).

PROVINCIAL RESULTS.

Carlow, 2 placed goals, 1 penalty goal, 2 tries (10 points); Naas, 1 try (3 points). At Carlow.

Shannon Buccaneers (Athlone), 3 tries (9 points); Old Belvedere, 1 goal (5 points). At Athlone.

CROSS-CHANNEL RESULTS.

Neath, 8 points; Cross Keys, nil.

Pontypool, 22 points; Oxford and Cambridge XV., 8 points.

IRISH NATIVE BREEDS' SOCIETY SHOW.

At the Irish Native Breeds' Society Dog Show on Saturday the judges adjudicated upon [illegible] classes finished [illegible] was won by [illegible] champion, Sarsfield of Boyne, who also won the industrial class and the special for [illegible] Miss Bligh's Irish water spaniel, British Sheelagh.

GAELIC GAMES.

TIPPERARY HURLERS WIN AGAIN.

KENNEDY AND MCKENNA INJURED.

SOMERVILLE, MASS., Monday.

An enthusiastic crowd of 25,000 saw the Tipperary hurling team defeat an all-star Massachusetts team by 16 points to 9 here yesterday. At half-time the score was 12-8. Martin Kennedy, one of the Irish forwards, sustained a broken nose in the second half, and was unable to finish the game, and J. McKenna, who took his place, was also forced to retire with a facial injury.

Goals were scored for Tipperary in the first half by Marnin, Cronin and Kennedy, the points being added by Cahill, McKenna and Tracy respectively. The Irish team outplayed their opponents in the second half, although scoring only one goal through Cahill. Callahan added the point.

CO. TIPPERARY TITLES.

The County Tipperary junior and minor inter-division championships were held at Cashel on Sunday. The junior championship resulted in a draw, West Tipperary 1-5, Mid Tipperary 2-2, but in the minor match West beat Mid by 10-6 to 0-1.

BOXING.

THE HEAVY-WEIGHT TITLE.

SMITH AND MEEN TO FIGHT FOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

A curious situation has arisen regarding the Heavy-Weight Championship of Great Britain. The British Boxing Board of Control announces that the administrative stewards have decided that Charlie Smith (Deptford) and Reggie Meen (Market Harborough) should meet for the title "on the strict understanding that both men agree in the event of winning to forego Regulation 31, par. 6. This regulation reads as follows:—'A champion shall not be called upon to defend his title until the expiration of six months from the date of winning or successfully defending the title.'

"Both men have definitely signed an agreement," adds the B.B.C. statement, "to this effect, and, therefore, the stewards will be in a position at any time after the championship is won to declare another contender should one arise from the eliminating series now being run."

JOHNNY PETERS BEATEN.

Johnny Peters, the young Battersea bantam-weight, who recently returned from America, and who was taking part in his first fight since the trip, was beaten on points by Cuthbert Taylor, Cardiff, who three years ago was amateur fly-weight champion, in a twelve rounds contest at the Croydon Stadium yesterday.

ATHLETICS.

C. B. S. SYNGE STREET SPORTS.

So large was the number of entries for the Christian Brothers' School, Synge street, annual sports, which take place at Croke Park to-morrow, that it was necessary to decide the preliminary rounds in almost forty events at Iveagh Grounds, Crumlin, yesterday. Each event brought out a regular host of competitors, over 1,200 pupils in all participating.

To judge by the form shown by a number of the qualifiers, especially in the high jump, pole vault, half-mile and one mile flat, competition to-morrow will be exceptionally keen, and some fine [illegible] over 1,000 boys will take part.

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FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES

TONE AND COMMENT

DUBLIN STEADY.

FALL IN THIRD LOAN.

In an otherwise strong market on Dublin Stock Exchange yesterday the Third National Loan, for the first time since it was floated in May last year, fell below the issue price of 93½. There was a small lot disposed of at 91, a fall of three points on Saturday's price, and compared with 99⅝ at the beginning of the month. The dividend deduction is included in the reduced price. The First Loan improved to 99½, and the Second to 102¼. Land Bonds eased ⅛ to 89⅞. British Funds found no support, and in response to the weakness in London some severe falls were recorded. War Loan Fives again went back to 94, Consols lost 1½ at 53, and 3½ p.c. Conversion Loan went back 6⅜ to 70½. This follows the fall in London. 2¾ p.c. Land Stock of 1903 lost no less than 6⅝ at 52⅞.

The Railway market was idle, the only change being a fall of ¾ in Great Southern Debs. to 50.

The market in Guinness Units was very active, when the fact that all dealings are for cash is taken into account. There was active buying around 90s. 6d. and up to 91s., the close being firm at 90s. 6d., or 1s. 6d. to the good. Dublin Tram Prefs. repeated 135s., and Alliance Gas eased to 10⅝.

The Industrial section turned upwards once more, and all the more speculative shares scored good advances. B.A.T., Courtaulds, Chemicals and Unilevers were the leaders in the advance. Imperial Tobaccos also improved, but only to the extent of a shilling. The fall in Unilever (N.V.) to 31s. 9d. was an adjustment to the recent London price. The Textile section was rather spotty. Sewing Cotton (not recently quoted here) spurted 7s. 9d. to 33s. 9d. Coats and Bleachers were firm at unchanged prices, and Fine Spinners fell back to 17s. 1½d.

Naturally, there was a sharp fall in Dunlops on the passing of the interim dividend and the postponement of the Preference payments. The price closed 4s. below Friday's quotation at 15s. 3d. Shells were another weak spot. Some Newspaper Preferences were in request at higher prices.

THE IRISH BANKS' RATE.

The increase in the Irish banks' discount rate from 5½ per cent. to 6½ per cent. was not announced during 'Change hours. This increase brings the Irish rate into conformity with the Bank of England rate of 6 per cent. Loans on Government Stock transferred are increased from 4½ per cent. to 6 per cent. Deposits under £500 are allowed 3 per cent., over £500 and under £2,000 3½ per cent., and £2,000 and over 4 per cent.

LONDON FIRMER.

TRADING RESTRICTED.

The quieter conditions which developed on Saturday last, following upon the Stock Exchange Committee's new rule making future dealings entirely for cash, were again apparent yesterday, and the volume of trading passing was, if anything, on even quieter lines. Despite the smaller volume of trading going on the general tone of markets was quite satisfactory, British Funds improving with the £, while buying orders from America for British Industrials was reflected in the upward trend shown among these issues. Oils, however, fell back, and Mines were uncertain, while Australian Bonds went off sharply all round. British Government stocks made a dull start, due to the early set-back shown in sterling, but subsequently rallied sharply in sympathy with the improving tendency of the exchange, and at the close the changes shown, although of only modest proportions, were all in the right direction. Consols 2½ per cent. and 4 per cent. each finished ½ harder, while Funding Loan and Victory Bonds showed similar improvements. Conversion Fives gained a point, and Irish Free State Land Bonds also closed a point higher, while the Indian issues marked appreciable recoveries. Colonial Government issues, as mentioned above, made a very heavy showing, and losses of a substantial character were shown throughout the list. There was not a great deal going on among Foreign Government stocks, and, apart from Greek Sevens, which spurted to 85, and Belgian Sevens, which closed up to 99, the movements were of little note. Cheerful conditions ruled in the market for British Rails, and higher levels were reached practically all round. Midland Ord. gained a full point, as did Southern Def. Ord. and 5 per cent. Pref., while Westerns and North Easterns were ½ harder. Underground Ord. marked a trifling recovery, but Metropolitan Consolidated and Districts were flat, losing 2 points and a point respectively. Quieter conditions prevailed among Colonial and Foreign Rails, but generally a steady tone was shown. Considerable irregularity was apparent among the Industrial issues in the early hours, but subsequently a distinctly firmer tone developed, and at the close the bulk of the movements were favourable to holders. Motors and Iron and Steels were favoured, and Cables and Wireless were in request, but Textiles moved off, as did the Swedish issues. In other directions Oils weakened after a firm commencement, while Mines were easier in numerous instances. Rubber shares also moved against holders.

VALUE OF THE POUND ABROAD.

The value of the £ in the Foreign Exchange Market, compared with September 19 (before Britain went off the gold standard):—

	Sept. 19 value. s.	d.	Saturday's value. s.	d.	Monday's value. s.	d.
New York (dollars)	19	11½	15	9¼	16	2
Paris (francs)	19	11½	15	7½	15	10
Amsterdam (florins)	20	0	15	8	16	3
Berlin (marks)	20	0	15	3½	16	1½
Montreal (dollars)	20	0½	17	7	18	1
Brussels (belgas)	20	0	15	7	16	0
Milan (lire)	20	0	15	9½	16	11
Stockholm (kroner)	20	0	16	2½	19	1
Oslo (kroner)	20	0	18	9	19	10
Copenhagen (kroner)	20	0	19	0	19	10

OIL PRODUCTION.

British-Controlled Oilfields — Production for the week ended September 23—Venezuela, 34,302 barrels; Trinidad, 38,156 barrels. Total, 72,458 barrels.

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MARKETS AT A GLANCE.

Monday Night.

STOCKS AND SHARES:

London firmer.

Dublin strong.

Birmingham fairly firm.

Manchester Textiles irregular.

New York weak.

MONEY:

Bank of England Rate	6	p.c.
Last Year	3	p.c.
Irish Banks' Rate	6½	p.c.
Ditto Deposits under £500	3	p.c.
Ditto Deposits over £500 and and under £2,000	3½	p.c.
Deposits of £2,000 and over	4	p.c.
London Day-to-Day Loans	5-4½	p.c.
London Fine 3-Months' Bills	5¾	p.c.

THE INDUSTRIAL MARKET.

SWEDISH ISSUES RELAPSE

Although more subdued than last week, the Industrial market presented a fairly active appearance when business was resumed yesterday. Brokers reported a moderate trading, despite the new rule making future dealings on a cash basis. After a firm start a certain amount of irregularity developed, and on balance lower levels generally prevailed.

Swedish Match and Kreuger and Toll continued weak. In other directions Imperial Chemicals moved in irregular fashion pending the interim dividend decision this week. The market is expecting 2 p.c.

Fresh buyers came forward for some of the leading Iron and Steel shares. Babcocks were again the favourite in anticipation of the interim dividend, the price further advancing 1/16 to 2 11/16. William Cory recovered to 60s. and Staveleys to 27s.

Supporting orders were received for Motor shares at first, but values failed to hold. Austin Ord. had buyers at 36s. at one time, easing later to 35s. Leylands reacted from 1 11/16 to 1⅝, and Dennis gave way to 1 1/16, with Fords offered at 1 11/16. Thomas Tilling weakened ¼ to 2 11/16.

Textiles gave a mixed display. Sewing Cottons further improved 1/16 to 1¾, but Wardles lost that amount at 1 1/16 and Bradford Dyers reacted to 17s. 6d. J. and P. Coats hardened at first to 2 7/16, only to ease eventually to 2⅜. Fine Spinners were offered at the close at 17s. 6d., but Slubbers had buyers around 3s. 6d.

Among Rayons, Courtaulds were bid up to 1⅞ at one time, easing in the late dealings to 1 11/16. American Celanese Common gave way ⅛ to 1⅝, after being 1 11/16; while Canadian Celanese closed at 1 5/16 after 1¼. British Enka and British Celanese Second Pref. hardened a few pence, but Snia Viscosa lost the turn.

Provision issues were irregular following the statement regarding the dividends. The gap between the prices of Unilever and Unilever N.V. narrowed at first, but by the close there was still a difference of ⅛, the former finishing at 1½, and the latter at 1⅝. Aerated Bread rose to 19s. 9d., Bovril Def. to 1¾, Lovell and Christmas to ⅝, and Tate and Lyle to 38s., but Home and Colonial gave way to 13s. 9d., and International Tea to 20s. 3d.

Little disposition was seen to give fresh support to Breweries, and as a result values found lower levels. Ind. Coope weakened 2s. 9d. to 45s., while Guinness lost 2s. 6d. at 90s., and City of London Prefd. 1s. 6d. at 50s. Watney Def. gave way 1s. at 37s., and Allsopps came back a similar amount to 20s. Several Deb. stocks were marked down.

Tobaccos generally opened with a firm appearance, but an easier tendency developed toward the close. "Bats" opened higher at 4 3/16, but they finished 1/16 down on balance at 4 1/16. The 6 per cent. Pref. weakened to 19s. 9d. Carreras "A" were supported at first, but eased later. "Imps" maintained a steady front and closed unchanged at 3⅞, but the Pref. issues were marked down, the 5½ per cent. to 21s. 9d., and the 6 per cent. to 22s. 6d. Godfrey Phillips rallied to 12s. 6d., and Cantabs improved to 42s.

Quiet conditions continued to rule among trans-Atlantics, and prices showed no decided trend, though the tone in the late dealings seemed steady. Brazilian Traction Common fluctuated between 12¼ and 13½, finishing at 13¼. Hydro-Electric hardened to 14½, but Radios gave way to 18¾. United States Steel closed at 101, Nickels at 11⅞, and Woolworths at 40s.

Cables and Wireless Stocks lost ground, the Pref. declining to 45, the "A" Ord. to 13½, and the "B" Ord. to 9¼. Marconi Marine, however, recovered to 32s. 6d.

Of the Gramo shares, "Emmies" weakened to 1 1/16 in the late dealings, with the Pref. on offer at 20s.

Home Bank shares kept fairly steady.

Insurance shares were dull on a little offering.

Marked weakness was shown by the Swedish issues, following the fall in New York on Saturday. Kreuger and Toll were finally 2½ down at 7, and Swedish Match "B" 1 lower at 6¼, after being 5⅞.

Imperial Chemicals opened lower at 14s. 9d., and after recovering to 15s. 3d. closed 3d. off at 15s. The Pref. and Defd. also lost 3d. at 18s. 6d. and 3s. 9d. respectively. The latest estimate of the interim dividend is that 2 per cent. may be forthcoming. Dunlops fell back during the early dealings to 15s. 1½d., recovered to 15s. 9d., and were finally 3d. lower at 15s. 6d. United Molasses closed a few pence harder at 8s. 9d.

OIL SHARES DULL.

The fact that dealings now are on a solely cash basis made for quieter conditions in the Oil Share Market. In the circumstances, however, the turnover in the leading counters was on quite a fair scale. Advices received over the week-end from New York in regard to the course of the market in Oil Shares in that centre on Saturday last were not helpful, lower prices coming over for several of the leading American oil stocks. During the early hours a fair business was transacted, and the market became rather firmer, but the better tendency was not maintained, owing to the fact that French operators came in sellers on a moderate scale of their favourites, including Royal Dutch, Shells, and the Eagle issues. In the afternoon business gradually dwindled, and at the close the price changes recorded were mainly in the downward direction, although losses were not of an important character.

RUBBER SHARES EASIER.

Trading in the Rubber share market remained on quiet lines, and, in view of the further decline shown in commodity values, share quotations again displayed an easier trend. Actual price movements were not numerous, but those registered were of an adverse character, several being of fairly substantial proportions. United Sua Betong dropped back to 21s. 3d., at which a loss of 1s. 3d. was shown, while Rubber Trusts, Vallambrosa, Highlands and Anglo-Malay all lost the turn. Quiet and easier conditions ruled in the raw material department, and values receded further. Spot and October opened at the week-end rate, but went back to 2⅞d. per lb., while January to March sold at 3 1/16d. per lb., and April to June from 3 3/16d. to 3¼d. per lb. London stocks of rubber showed a diminution of nearly a thousand tons, whilst Liverpool stocks were 245 tons lower.

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON:—Alliance, 16⅜, £16 3/-; Atlas, 9⅞; Commercial Union, 17, ⅜, ¼, 16⅞, £17 3/-; Eagle Star Ord., 9 9/16, 7/32; Employers' Liability, 52/-; London and Lancashire Fire, 21¾, 13/16, 2 1/16, ¼; London Assurance, 7½, ⅝, 21/32; North British and Mercantile, 26⅝, £26 17/-; Northern, 13 12⅞; Phœnix £1 (fully paid), 11⅜, ¼; Prudential, 19½; do. "B" £1 (4/- paid), 31/-, 30/10½, 29/-, 30/10½; Royal Exchange, 100/-, 99/6; Royal Insurance, 6¼, 7/16, ½, 17/32; Sun Insurance, 56/6; Yorkshire, 5 23/32.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL:—Alliance Assurance, £16 8/6, 4/9; Commercial Union, 17 7/16, ¼; North British and Mercantile, 27, 6¾; Northern Assurance Participating Pref., 290/9; Royal Insurance, 6½, 17/32; Scottish Union and National, 220/9; Sea Insurance (x.d.), 64/-.

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

—	Closing.		Rise or fall.
Consols 2½%	51½	53½	+½
Do. 4%	79½	81½	+½
War Loan, 4½%	89	91	...
Do. 5%	93	94	...
Funding Loan	79	81*	+½
Victory Bonds	87½	89½	+½
3½% Conversion Loan	69	71	...
4½% Conversion Loan	89	91	...
5% Conversion Loan	94	96*	+1
Irish Free State 4½% Land Bonds	86	91	+1
India 3%	37	41	+3½
Do. 3½%	45	47	+1½
Do. 4½%	58	62	−2½
Do. 5½%	96	99	−½
Local Loans	59	61	...
Sudan 5½%	95	100	−5

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Australian Con. 5 p.c.	57	67	−3
Do. do. 6 p.c.	70	80	...
British Columbia 4½ p.c. 1941	90	95	−1½
Canada 4 p.c., 1940-60	78	88	−2½
Cape 3½ p.c. Cons.	83	85	...
Ceylon 6 p.c.	97	102	−3½
N.S.W. 5 p.c., 1945-65	45	55	−10
Do. 6½ p.c., 1930-40	70	80	−4
New Zealand 6 p.c., 1936-51	92	97	−5
Do. 5 p.c., 1946	85	90	−5
Nigeria 6 p.c.	100	105	−7½
Queensland 5 p.c., 1940-50	50	60	−10
South African 5 p.c., 1933-43	90	95	...
South Australian 5 p.c., 1932-42	55	65	−11
Do. 4 p.c., 1940-60	45	55	−9
Victoria 5 p.c. 1932-42	55	65	−10
Do. 5 p.c., 1945-75	55	65	−10
Western Australian 5 p.c., 1945-75	60	70	−5
Do. 6 p.c., 1930-40	70	80	−5

BANKS.

Anglo-South American	2¼	3¼	−¼
Bank of Australasia	7½	8½*	...
Bank of England	235	245	+5
Bank of Montreal	49	55	...
Bank of New South Wales	20	24	...
Bank of New Zealand	2¼	2¾	...
Barclay's "A" Shares	7½	8	...
British Overseas	4	4½	...
Canadian of Commerce	40	45	...
Chartered of India	12	13*	...
Hong Kong and Shanghai	107	112	...
Lloyds	40/0	44/0	...
Midland	6⅜	6⅞	−⅛
National Discount "B"	8	9	...
National Provincial (£4 pd.)	8½	9½	...
Royal of Canada	49	55	...
Standard of South Africa	11¾	12¾	...
Union of Australia	5	6	...
Westminster Bank (£1)	2⅝	2⅞	...

FOREIGN BONDS.

M.U.—Sept. 21.

100	Austrian 6 p.c. Guar.	98½	99½	−½
105	Belgian 7 p.c.	97	100	+2
40	Brazil 6½ p.c. S. Bds. '27	39	41	...
62	Do. 5 p.c. Fund, 1898	60	62	...
51	Do. 5 p.c. do. 1914	49	51	...
76	Chinese 4½ p.c. 1898	76	78	+1
36	Do. 5 p.c. 1912	35½	36½	...
61	Do 5 p.c. Reorg. 1913	62	64	...
76	Chinese Imp. Ry. 5% Gold	65	75	...
40	Do. Shanghai-Nanking 5 p.c.	35	40	...
18	Do. Tientsin Pukow 5 p.c.	12	17	...
100	Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	93	98	−2
70	Egyptian Unified	78	80	...
21½	French Loan 5 p.c.	26½	27½	...
21½	Do. 4 p.c.	26	27	...
62	German 7 p.c.	61½	62½	−½
87	Greek 7 p.c.	83	87	+7½
19	Italian Rentes	20	22	...
—	Japan 4 p.c. 1905	—	—	...
5	Mexican 5 p.c. '99	5	7	...
8	Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas	6	8	...
1¾	Peruvian Corporation	2	3	+¼
9	Do Pref.	9	10	...
42	Do Debs.	42	46	−1
55	Poland 7 p.c. Sterling	54	56	−3
44	Portuguese 3 p.c.	38	42	−2
—	Spanish 4 p.c.	50	55	...
5½	Turkish Unified	5	6	...

BRITISH RAILS.

38½	Great Western	44	45	+½
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	65	68	...
14	Ldn. Mid. & Scot. Ord	11	19	+1
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	41	44	+½
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red Pref.	55	60	...
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref. 1923	31	34	+½
7	Ldn. North-East 5 p.c. Pref. Ord	10½	11½	+½
2⅞	Do. Def. Ord.	4¼	4¾	+½
—	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	39	42	...
—	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	21	23	...
35	Metropolitan	35	37	−2
57	Do. District	57	59	−1
36	Southern Pref. Ord.	37½	38½	...
9	Do. Def. Ord.	10½	11½	+1
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	57	61	+1
18 7½	Underground Elec. (£1)	17/3	18/3	+0/3
—	Do. Income Bonds	90	95	...

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

16	Antofagasta Ord.	18	21	...
—	Argentine G.W. Ord	41	46	...
—	Bahia Blanca Guar Stk	62	65	...
28	Buenos Ayres Gt. Sthn.	37½	40½	+½
22	Buenos Ayres & Pacific	28	31	...
22	Buenos Ayres and W.	28	31	...
—	Canadian National Guar	66	69	...
17⅝	Canadian Pacific ($25)	21	24	...
29	Central Argentine	37½	40½	+½
17½	Do. Def.	20	25	...
21½	Central Uruguay Ord.	18	23	−2
4½	Cordoba Central	5½	7½	...
11	Do 1st Pref.	11	13	...
5½	Do. 2nd Pref.	6	8	...
36	Entre Rios	37	40	...
—	Do. 6 p.c. Cum. Pref	60	63	...
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar	80	85	...
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb	80	85*	...
—	Internl. of Cent. Amer	4½	6½	...
11½	Leopoldina	12½	14½	...
½	Mexican Rails	½	1½	...
1	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	1	3	...
15/0	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	1	3	...
110	San Paulo Ord.	98	103	−2
4	United Havana	6	8	+2

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Atchison	145	155	−5
—	Chicago Milwaukee New	3¾	4¼	+¼
12	Erie	15	20	...
—	Do. 1st Pref.	20	30	...
—	New York Central	80	90	...
—	New York Ontario	11	14	...
—	Pennsylvania	42	47	...
18½	Southern Common	25	30	...
—	Southern Pacific	70	80	−5
116	Union Pacific	150	160	−5

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

19/0	Allsopp £1 Shares	19/3	20/9	−1/0
49/6	Bass Ratcliff Ord	52/0	54/0	...
2/9	Brewers of Vancouver	3/0	3/6	−0/6
—	City of London Def. (5/-)	5/6	6/6	...
41/0	Courage Ord.	43/0	45/0	...
44/0	Distillers Ord.	51/6	53/6	−0/6
84/0	Guinness Ord. (£1 units)	89/0	91/0	−2/6
40/6	Hoare and Co.	42/0	44/0	...
46/0	Ind Coope Ord.	44/0	46/0	−2/9
51/6	South African Breweries	57/0	59/0	...
—	Walker (John) Pref.	20/0	21/0	−0/3
34/0	Watney Combe Def.	36/0	38/0	−1/0

ELECTRIC SUPPLY.

—	Bournemouth and Poole	57/6	59/6	+1/6
30/0	Charing Cross	29/0	30/0	−0/6
—	Chelsea Ord.	26/6	27/6	−0/3
36/0	City of London Def. (5/-)	33/6	35/6*	...
40/6	County of London	43/0	45/0*	+1/6
—	Lancashire	22/6	24/6	+0/9
33/0	London Electric	31/9	33/3	...
37/6	Metropolitan	38/0	40/0	+0/3
21/0	Newcastle	22/0	24/0	+0/6
29/0	St. James's	29/0	30/0	...
—	South London	26/6	27/6*	−0/6
28/6	Westminster Electric	27/0	28/6	−0/3
—	Whitehall Inv. Pref	18/0	20/0*	−1/0

INSURANCE.

—	Alliance £20 (£2 4/- p.)	15½	16½	−¼
—	Atlas £5 (£1 5/- paid)	9¾	10¼	...
—	Com. Un. (£2½ paid)	17	18	−¼
—	Eagle Star Ord. £3	9	10	...
—	Employers' £1 (5/- paid)	50/0	53/0	...
—	Gen. Accdt. £5 (£1¼ p.)	11¾	12¼	...
—	Guardian £3 (10/- paid)	8¼	9¼	...
—	L. & Lan. Fire £5 (£1 p.)	21½	22½	...
—	Lon. Ass. £2½ (£1¼ p.)	7½	8	...
—	N.B. & Mer. £5 (£1¼ p.)	26	27	−1
—	Northern £10 (£1 paid)	12¼	13¼	−¼
—	Phoenix £10 (£1 paid)	10¼	11¼	...
—	Do £1 (f.p.)	11¼	11¾	−½
—	Prudential	19	20	...
—	Do. "B" £1 (4/- p.)	29/0	31/0	...
—	Royal Exchange	4½	5	−¼
—	Royal Ins. £1 (10/- p.)	6¼	6¾	...
—	Sun Ins. £10	2⅝	2⅞	...
—	Sun Life (£1)	4⅝	4⅞	−¼
—	Yorkshire 50/- (10/- p.)	5½	6	...

IRON, COAL AND STEEL.

2/6	Amal. Anthracite	3/6	4/6	...
41/9	Babcock, Wilcox Ord.	2 15/32	2 19/32	+3/32
2/1½	Baldwins	2/6	3/0	−0/1½
1/2	Brown (John)	2/0	2/6	...
3/9	Buell Combustion	⅛	¼	...
1/3	Cammell Laird	1/9	2/3	...
50/6	Cory (William)	2 15/16	3 1/16	+2/0
3/7½	Dorman Long	4/3	5/3	−0/3
16/0	Guest Keen	18/3	19/3	...
1/0	Pease and Partners	1/9	2/3	+0/3
17/6	South Durham Steel	19/6	20/6	...
13/6	Stewarts & Lloyds Def	16/3	17/3	+0/3
7/4½	Vickers Ord	8/9	9/3	+0/1½

LAND AND INVESTMENT.

17/0	Argentine Land Invest.	⅝	⅞	...
10/6	Do. Southern Land	½	¾	−⅛
—	City San Paulo Imots.	5/32	7/32	...
8/0	Forestal Land	9/6	10/6	...
18/3	Hudson's Bay Ord.	1 7/32	1 9/32	−1/16
⅝	Hyderabad Deccan	9/16	11/16	...
—	Internat. Invest Certs.	53¾		−1¼
1/9	Pekin Syndicate	1/6	2/6	...
15/0	Sudan Plantations	1 1/32	1 3/32	−3/32

NEWSPAPERS.

11/0	Assd. Newspapers Df. (5/-)	10/3	11/3	−1/6
7/6	Allied News Ord.	½	⅝	+1/16
—	Amal. Press (New)	¾	1 3/16	+1/32
27/3	Daily Mail Trust	1 1/16	1 3/16	...
7/9	Daily Mirror Ord.	8/3	9/6	−0/6
—	Financial Newspapers	¼	⅜	...
15/16	Sunday Pictorial Ord.	1 1/16	1 5/16	...

NITRATES.

40	Cosach 7 p.c. Ster. Bds (£60 paid)	33	37	...
	Cosach B. Ord	¼	¾	−¼
15/0	Lautaro Nitrate 7 p.c Pref. (£5)	17/0	18/0	...

OILS.

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—	Anglo-American	3¾	4¼	...
5/3	Anglo-Ecuadorian	6/3	7/3	+0/3
1	Anglo-Egyptian "B"	1 3/16	1 5/16	−1/16
1 13/32	Anglo-Persian Ord.	1 29/32	2 1/32	−3/32
22/0	Do. 8 p.c. 1st Pref.	21/6	22/6	+1/0
21/9	Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref.	21/3	22/3	+1/0
7/3	Apex Trinidad (5/- shares)	8/0	8/6	+0/9
9/6	Attock	9/16	11/16	...
2/9	British Borneo Pet. (10/-)	2/9	3/9	...
3/0	British Burmah (8/-)	3/3	3/9	...
1/1½	British Controlled	1/3	1/6	...
1/7½	Do. Pref.	1/9	2/0	−0/1½
1 11/16	Burmah	1 15/32	2 3/32	−1/32
22/3	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	21/3	22/3	...
4/6	Canadian Eagle Ord.	5/1½	5/7½	−0/4½
11/4½	Do. 7 p.c. 1st. Pref. ($3)	9/6	10/6	−1/0
7/0	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	8/6	9/6	...
1/6	Kern River (10/-)	1/6	2/0	+0/1½
11/16	Lobitos	27/32	31/32	−1/16
5/6	Mexican Eagle Ord.	6/1½	6/7½	−0/4½
6/3	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	7/6	8/6	...
7/4½	Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref. (4 pesos)	5/6	6/6	−1/0
0/6	North Caucasian (10/-)	0/3	0/9	...
—	Pan-American "B"	30	35	...
3/3	Phoenix Oil	4/6	5/0	...
1/7½	Do. 1/- shares	2/0	2/6	−0/3
10	Royal Dutch	16½	16¾	−⅝
1 15/32	Shell Transport	2 1/32	2 3/32	−1/32
9⅜	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10)	8½	9½*	...
21/1½	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	20/0	21/0	...
3/6	Steaua Romana	3/3	4/3	...
3/10½	Tankers Pref	4/7½	5/1½	−0/1½
1/6	Trinidad Central	1/6	2/6	...
25/32	Trinidad Leasehold	⅞	1	−1/16
2/6	United Brit. Trinidad	2/9	3/3	−0/3
25/32	V.O.C. Holdings	1 1/32	1 5/32	...
25/32	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	1 1/32	1 3/32	...

RUBBERS.

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11/3	Anglo Dutch	13/6	−0/3
0/6	Anglo-Java	0/9	...
3/6	Anglo-Malay	3/9	−0/6
0/10½	Bukit Mertajam	0/10½	...
0/3	Bukit Sembawang	0/3	...
4/3	Grand Central	5/6	−0/6
9/0	Highlands	11/3	−0/9
4/3	Jugra Land	4/3	−0/3
11/16	Kuala Lumpur	17/6	...
9/32	Linggi	7/6	...
1/6	London Asiatic	1/10½	...
13/32	Malacca	11/3	...
5/3	Malayalam	7/9	−0/3
0/7½	Merliman	0/9	−0/1½
11/6	Rubber Trust	14/6	−0/3
¼	Tandjong	6/0	...
8/9	Tandjong Malim	10/7½	...
1	United Sua Betong	21/3	−1/3
4/9	Vallambrosa	5/0	−0/6

Allagar	0/7½	...	Laras Deb.	25	...
Batu Tiga	5/0	...	Ledbury	10/0	...
Bernam Pr'l	0/6	...	Manch'r N.B.	3/0	...
Brit. I. G. Trst	47½*	...	N. Hayoep	0/3¾	...
Do. Pref.	14½	...	N. Hummock	3/9	...
Broome Sel.	3/16	...	P.P.K. (C'y'n)	11/32	...
Chersonese	1/1½	...	Pataling	7/16	...
Cicely	1/6	...	Perak (2/-)	1/3	...
Eastern Trst.	8/9	...	Rim Malacca	0/8¼	...
F.M.S. Plant	13/9	...	Sedenak	7/6	...
Gen. Ceylon	7/16	+1/16	Serdang C'lid.	3/1½	...
Glenbervie	4/4½	...	Soember Ajoe	0/9	...
Golden Hope	5/0	...	Sungei K'par.	0/9	...
Java Amal.	8/9	...	Sungei Siput	0/1½	...
Kamuning	1/1½	...	Taiping	0/7½	...
Kepitigalla	0/6	...	Telogoredjo	5/3	...
Kuala Sel.	1/3	...	Yam Seng	1/1½	...
Laras	0/3	...			

REFRESHMENT AND FOOD.

18/0	Aerated Bread	19/3	20/3	+1/6
30/6	Bovril Def.	1 11/16	1 13/16	+1/16
0/7½	Crosse & Blackwell	0/7½	1/1½	−0/4½
11/9	Home & Colonial (4/-)	13/3	14/3	−0/6
—	Lipton	—		...
9/9	Lovell & Christmas	9/16	11/16	+5/32
4 15/32	Lyons (J.)	4⅛	5⅛	...
—	Mackintosh (J.) Pref.	31/32	1 3/32	...
3/7½	Maypole Def.	4/0	4/6	...
—	Scribbans	13/0	13/6	+0/1½
—	Do. Def. (1/-)	1/6	2/0	...
1 1/16	Schweppes Ord.	1 1/16	1 3/16	...
½	Smithfield Arg Meat	¼	⅜	...

SHIPPING.

—	Cairn Line	3/0	5/0	...
—	Cunard Ord.	8/6	1/6	...
—	Elder Dempster 6% Pref	0/6	2/0	...
—	Furness Withy	24/6	26/6	...
—	P. and O. Def. (£1)	24/0	26/0	−0/6
—	Royal Mail Ord.	0	5	...
—	White Star 6½% Pref.	2/0	3/0	...

TEXTILES AND ARTSILKS.

4½	Amalgamated Cotton	0/9	1/3	+0/3
7/0	Bleachers	½	⅝	...
13/0	Bradford Dyers	1 3/16	1 5/16	−1/16
4/0	British Celanese Ord.	4/6	5/6	...
4/0	Do Pref	3/0	4/0	+0/6
5/6	Calico Printers	15/32	9/16	...
1¼	Canadian Celanese	1 5/16	1 7/16	...
34/9	Coats	2 5/16	2 7/16	...
1⅜	Courtaulds	1 23/32	1 25/32	...
—	Linen Thread Ord.	1 3/16	1 5/16	...
8/9	Lister Ord	½	⅝	...
5/9	Snia Viscosa	5/16	⅜	−1/32

TEAS.

Amal. Estates	9	...	Imperial	⅝	+1/16
Assam Co.	27/32	...	Jetinga Valley	⅞	...
Assam Conso'.	7/32	+1/32	Jhanzie	1 9/16	−⅛
Assam Front'r	11/16	...	Jokai	1⅜	−3/16
Bog'wantl'lawa	2 5/16	...	Jorehaut	1 11/16	−1/16
Borelli	1 11/16	+1/16	Kanan Devan	22	...
Brahmapootra	19½	...	Lebong	3	...
Brit. Indian	1¼	...	Lungla	5/32	...
Budla Beta	2⅝	+⅛	Makum	1 3/16	...
Ceylon Plant	3¼	...	Moabund	2 1/16	...
Ceylon Prop.	1⅜	...	Nedeem	⅞	...
Chargola	1/6	+0/6	New Dimbula	4⅛	+⅛
Chubwa	1 3/16	...	Nuwara Eliya	5 1/16	...
Chulsa	1 9/16	...	Ouvah	2⅝	...
Con. Tea & L.	9½	...	Peacock & N.	0/9	...
Darjeeling Co.	2⅛	...	Pabbojan	3 1/16	...
Do. Consol.	2⅜	...	Pundaloya	84/0	...
Deundi	9/32	...	Rosehaugh	¾	+1/16
Dimbula Val.	2¼*	+⅛	Scottish Assam	1 1/16	...
Doars	1⅛	+1/16	Scot. T. & Em'	2 1/16	+1/16
Doom Dooma	2 5/16	...	Singlo	1 1/16	−1/16
E. Assam	1 11/16	−1/16	Sumatra	⅜	...
East Produce	2⅛	−1/16	Travancore	15/16	...
Empire	15/16	...	Up. Assam	1 1/16	...
Jhaba Ceylon	1⅞*	...			

TELEGRAPHS, TELEPHONES, WIRELESS

24½	Anglo-American Def.	23½	24½	...
41	Cables & Wireless 5½% Pf	44	46	−1
10	Do. 7½% "A" Ord.	13	14	−1
6	Do "B" Ord.	8¾	9¾	−1½
1 13/32	Marconi Marine	1 9/16	1 11/16	+3/32
7/0	Do. Canada	½	⅝	...
—	Oriental Telephone	2	2¼	...
14	Radio Corporation	18½	19	−¾
10	Do Pref	8¾	9¼	...

MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIALS.

2/6	African and East. Trade	3/3	4/3	...
19/3	Associated Cement	23/9	24/9	+3/3
15/0	Associated Electric Ind	22/0	23/0	+0/6
2/1½	Baird Television Pf Ord.	2/3	2/6	...
⅝	Borax Con. Def.	⅜	½	...
11	Brazilian Traction	13	13½	+¼
3 5/16	British-American Tobacco	4	4⅛	−1/16
21/6	British Aluminium	1 7/16	1 9/16	...
4/4½	British Inter. Pict. (5/-)	4/10½	5/4½	−0/1½
19/6	British Match	22/0	23/0	−1/0
1 13/16	British Portland Cement	1⅞	2	...
23/9	British Oil and Cake	1 5/16	1¼	−1/32
47/6	Callenders Cable	54/0	56/0*	−1/3
—	Canadian Car	6	8	...
2⅞	Carreras	3⅜	3⅝	...
—	Crittal's Manufacturing	15/16	⅞	+0/4½
1/10½	Crystalate Gramo. Ord.	1/9	2/3	...
13/0	Dunlop Rubber	15/6	16/0	−0/3
1 11/32	Electric and Musical	1 1/16	1⅛	−⅛
21/3	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	15/16	1 1/16	−1/32
17/1½	Ever Ready	19/0	20/0	...
24/6	Ford Motor	1⅞	2	−1/16
—	Gallaher Ord.	1 5/16	1 5/16	...
1 13/16	General Electric Ord.	45/6	46/6	...
	Harland Wolff Pref.	1/9	2/9	...
45/0	Harrod's Stores	2 5/16	2 9/16	...
7/0	Harrod's (B.A.)	8/0	9/0	−0/6
4¼	Henley's Telegraph	5¼	5½	...
	Imperial Airways	13/0	14/0	...
3 13/16	Imperial Tobacco Ord.	3 13/16	3 15/16	...
35/6	Do Canada	41/6	42/6	+1/0
10/7½	Imp. Chem. Indus. Ord.	14/9	15/3	−0/3
3/0	Do. Def.	3/6	4/0	−0/3
⅞	Internl. Holdings Ord.	1	1½	...
10	International Nickels	11¾	12	−⅛
24/6	Johnson and Phillips	26/6	28/6	+0/6
10⅜	Kreuger and Toll	6½	7½	−2¼
20/6	Lever 7 p.c Pref.	21/0	21/6	+0/3
—	North American Co.	35	40	−½
0/6	Parent Trust Def.	0/1½	0/7½	...
3/0	Platt Bros. Ord.	3/0	4/0	...
	Reckitt Ord.	3 13/16	3 15/16	+1/16
18/3	Roneo	27/32	29/32	...
19/9	Salt Union	1⅛	1¼	...
	San Paulo Tram Deb.	70	75	...
35	Shawinigan Water Com.	38	43	+5½
6⅜	Swedish Match B.	5⅞	6⅜	−1
	Tate and Lyle	37/6	38/6	+0/6
0/6	Taylor Cash Chem. Def.	0/9	1/3	...
—	Tilling Ord.	2⅞	3	−¼
—	Tobacco Trust Ord.	2¼	2½	...
	Do. Def.	2⅝	2⅞	−⅛
1 5/16	Triplex Glass	1⅝	1½	...
1 1/16	Unilever Ord	1 7/16	1 9/16	...
⅛	Do. (N.V.)	1 9/16	1 11/16	−1/32
7	United Molasses	8/6	9/0	+0/3
	Vine Products Ord. 5/- Sh.	3/9	4/9	+0/3
2/0	Vocalion Gramophone	3/6	4/6	+0/6
20/0	Wallpaper Def.	1¼	1⅜	−1/16
41/0	Woolworth Ord	39/6	40/6	−0/6
—	Do. Pref.	18/3	18/9	...

* Ex div. † Ex rights. ‡ Cum. div. § Ex bonus.

William Julius Ellison, a British official of the International Labour Office, who was recently involved in a mountaineering accident, died yesterday from embolism, says an Exchange message from Geneva. His lady companion was dashed to death, but his fall was broken by a ledge, and he remained on the ledge, badly injured, until search parties found him.

MOTORS AND TEXTILES.

BIRMINGHAM.

Motor market quiet, but fairly firm. Singers and Standards improved. Austins closed easier. Morris Preference strengthened to 20/6. Dunlops better.

Austins	34/10½	Lucas	55/6
Do. Prefd.	14/3	Rolls	28/9
Components	2/6	Rovers	4/3
Dennis	22/-	Singers	10/-
Enfields	9/9	S.T.D.	9/10½
Fords	39/3	Standards	15/3
Guys	3/1½	Triumphs	6/4½
Humbers	10/-	Dunlops	15/4½
Leylands	35/6		

MANCHESTER.

Demand for Textiles has been rather irregular.

Bleachers, 10/6-11/-

Calicos, 9/6-10/6

Dyers, 17/6-18/-

Cottons, 34/3-34/6

Spinners, 17/3-17/9

"Slubbers," 3/3-3/6

Coats, 47/6-42/-

Velvets, 13/6-14/-

Courtaulds, 36/-36/6

Dunlops, 15/3-15/9

Turner & Newall, 27/-28/-

Dobson & Barlow, 5/6/-

Wall Paper Def., 25/6-26/6

Mr. Walter John Burt, of Cadogan place, London, a barrister, and a prominent figure in the city, fell under a train at Knightsbridge tube station yesterday and was killed. According to the 1931 edition of the Directory of Directors, Mr. Burt was Chairman of Associated British Maltsters, Ltd., Chairman of Ben Evans and Co., Ltd., and a director of Charterhouse Investment Trust, Ltd., and of Gordon (Malaya) Rubber Estates, Ltd. Mr. Burt was also a Justice of the Peace.

LONDON MINING MARKET LOWER.

TIN AND COPPER PRICES DECLINE.

The Mining market could boast but little activity yesterday. In the Kaffir section what few shares were dealt in were easier, and others were marked down almost indiscriminately. Paris tried to sell a few of the International counters, but the Cape was idle. Although at the close the list presented a fairly long array of declines, one or two small gains served to relieve the monotony. Rhodesians moved with their neighbours, and Chartered were forced down, carrying with them Tanks and Zams. There was no longer any support for the Northern issues, which sought lower levels under the lead of Rhokana. Diamonds were comparatively firm, and while De Beers Defd. were only 5s. lower on balance, Jagersfontein showed a small gain. The price of tin relapsed to £123 5s., a loss of £5 on the day, and the Share market suffered accordingly, there being very little fresh demand. In the Australian department one or two of the Gold shares were easier. Here, as elsewhere, the losses were not important, as under existing conditions bear selling cannot be indulged in. The price of copper dropped to £33 12s. 6d. per ton, and Copper shares were neglected. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

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16/3	Afric & Eur	16/0 17/0 −1/0
8/6	Ang-A.Co. 10/	9/6-10/6 −0/6
7/16	Anglo-Fr'ch.	13/32-17/32 −1/32
15/16	Brakpan	3 3¼
5¼	Cent. Mining	5¾ 6¼ −¾
5/6	City Deep	5/3-6/3 −0/3
⅝	Con. Goldf'ds	¾ ⅞ −1/16
1	Cons. M. Reef	15/16 1 1/16
5/1	Con. M. Sel	5/9 6/9
4½	Crown Mines	4¾ 4⅞ −⅛
¾	Durban Deep	15/6-16/6
12/9	E. Rand Prop	12/6-13/6 −0/6
4⅛	Geduld	4⅛ 4⅜ −⅛
9/0	Geldenhuis Deep	9/0 10/0
11/16	Gen. Mining	⅝ ¾ −⅛
1 7/32	Govt. M. 5/-	1⅝ 1¾
20/0	Johan'nvsts	1 11/16-1 13/16 −1/32
4/7½	Kleinfontein	5/3 5/9
10/9	Knight's	11/6 12/6
24/0	Langlaagte E	26/0 27/6 +0/3
1 5/16	Meyer & Char	29/32 31/32
—	Modderfontn	2½ 2¾
9/6	Modder B.	10/3 11/3
23/32	Modder Deep	29/32 31/32 −1/32
1 11/32	Modder East	1⅜-1½
2 7/16	New S. Areas	2 7/16 2 9/16 −1/16
5/0	Nigel	5/32 9/32
16/0	Nourse	13/6-16/6 −0/9
1/3	Oceana Con.	0/1½-0/4½
1/12	Potgeit'rust	0/6 1/0
⅝	Rand Mines	2⅝ 2⅞
23/0	Randfontein	24/6 25/6 −0/6
9/3	Robin Deep B	9/- 10/6
4/9	Rose Deep	5/3 6/3
3/6	Simmer & J.	3/6-3/9 −0/1½
6/0	S.A. Towns	6/0-6/6 −0/3
3¼	Springs	3 3/16-3 5/16 −⅛
12/9	Sth.-W. Af.	13/3 14/3 +0/3
3⅛	Sub Nigel	3 1/16-3 3/16 −⅛
3¼	Trans. Dei. E	3⅝ 3⅞ +⅛
27/32	Trans. Con. L.	13/16 15/16
2 11/16	Union Corp	2 13/16 2 15/16 −⅛
9/9	Van Ryn	9/6 10/6
19/0	Do. Deep	1 1/16 1⅛
1 3/16	Vereeniging	1 5/16 1 7/16
2/3	Village Deep	2/3 2/9
10/3	West R. Con	9/6-10/6 −0/3
12/3	West Springs	12/0 13/0
7/32	Wit. Deep	4/0 4/6

RUSSIAN.

0/3	Lena Gold	0/6-0/9
0/1½	Ru.-Asiat (2/6)	0/1-0/2

RHODESIAN.

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3/9	Bechuana Ex	4/3-4/9
2/9	B. M'Kubwa	3/0-3/6 −0/3
1 1/16	Cam & Motor	1-1⅛ −1/16
14/3	Char. B.S.A.	16/6 17/0 −0/6
—	Gaika Gold	0/3 0/9
12/0	Globe & Phoe	11/9-12/3* −0/9
2/6	Gold F. Rho	2/9 3/3
1/10½	Loangwa	1/6 2/0
¾	Lonely Reef	13/16 15/16
⅞	Rezende	[illegible]
0/10½	R. Broken H	0/10-1/1½
½	Rhod. Katanga	11/16-13/16
2¾	Rhokana Corp	3¼ 3¾ −½
5/16	Roan Antel (5/)	11/32-13/32 −1/16
1/6	Selukwe (2/6)	1/6 2/0 −0/1½
—	Shamva	0/6 1/0
21/32	Sherw'd Star	21/32-25/32
1/0	S. Rhd. Mtls	1/0-2/0
11/16	Tangan. Con	⅞-15/16 −3/32
29/32	Vic. Falls Ord	3⅛-3¼ +1/16
35/6	Do. Pref.	1⅝-1¾ −⅛
11/16	Wankie Col.	¾-⅞
9/16	Zamb Expl.	11/16-¾ −1/32

DIAMOND.

7/0	Angola Dia.	7/6-8/6
2/3	Cn.D.S.W.A	3/0 4/3
2¼	DeBeers Def	3¼-3¾ −¼
4	Do. Pref.	5¼ 5¾
½	Jagersf'tein	1⅛ 1 5/16 +1/16
⅛	N. Val. River	1/16 3/16
1⅛	Premier Pref	2 2½
2/3	West African	2/3 2/9

AUSTRALIAN.

¼	Amal. Zinc	¼-⅜
8/9	B. Hill Prop	9/6-10/6
1 1/16	Do. South	1⅛-1½
9/16	Elec. Zinc Pf.	9/16 11/16
7/0	Lake V. Star	7/9-8/3 −0/3
18/6	Lake V. Inv.	18/0 19/0
6/3	Mount Isa	7/0-8/0
1½	Nth. Bn. Hill	1½ 2
11/9	Sth. Kalgurli	11/6 12/6
4/6	Sulphide Ord	5/0 6/0
7/0	Do. Pref.	⅜-7/16
6/0	Wiluna Gold	6/6-7/6
9/16	Zinc Ord (10)	13/16 15/16
2¼	Do. Pref.	2⅝ 2⅝

WEST AFRICAN.

32/6	Ashanti (4/-)	1 11/16-1¾ −1/32
5/0	Fanti Cons.	5/0 6/0

TIN.

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2/3	Anglo-C. (10/)	2/0 3/0
6/0	Anglo-Orient	5/6 6/9
7/3	Do Pref	7/6 8/6 −0/6
13/16	Aramayo	13/16 15/16
4/4½	Associa'd Tin	4/3-4/9
4/6	Bisichi	4/0-5/0
1 9/16	Gopeng	1 9/16 1 11/16*
12/9	Ipoh	12/6 13/6
9/16	Kaduna Synd	9/16 11/16
4/3	Kamunting	4/9-5/3
20/0	Kram't Pulai	1 1/16 1 3/16
9/6	London Tin	10/9 11/9 −1/3
14/6	Malayan T.D	15/6 17/6
5/16	Naraguta	¼ ⅜
5/0	Pahang 5/-	5/0-5/6
5/0	Rambutan	¼-⅜
⅝	Renong	⅝ ¾
7/3	Siamese	8/3 9/3
0/9	Sth. Bukeru	0/3 0/9
2/9	Tavoy (4/)	2/9-3/3 −0/3
12/0	Tronoh (5/)	12/9 13/9 −0/3

COPPER.

5/0	Messina	¼ ⅜
19/32	Mount Lyell	¾ ⅞
3/9	Namaqua	5/32-9/32
11½	Rio Tinto (£5)	17-18 −¾
1¾	Tharsis	2¼-2½

MISCELLANEOUS.

5/7½	Burma Corp	8/3 8/9 −0/6
6/3	Champ. Reef	6/6 7/6
⅛	Chos. Corp	2/0 3/0
1/9	Explor. (10/-)	2/0 3/0
1/0	Keeley Silver	1/0-1/6 −0/3
—	Mexico Min's	1/6 2/6
2	Min. Sepa't'n	1⅞ 2⅛
6/0	Min. Crp. Can	5/6 6/6
5/3	Mysore (10	6/9 7/9 +0/3
13/0	Nundydroog	14/6 15/6
2/6	Ooregum	2/0 3/0
9/0	Panama Corp	9/9 10/9 −0/6
18/3	St. J. Del Rey.	19/6-20/0
7/0	San Fr'isco	9/9-10/9 −0/6
6/0	Santa Gert	7/9 8/3
3/6	Tigon Mng.	2/9 3/9
3/6	Trepca (2/6)	4/9-5/9 −0/3
13/9	Waihi Gold	15/0 16/0

* Ex Dividend. † Ex Rights. ‡ Ex bonus.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

JERSEY'S COMPANY VETO.

When Advocate Briard applied before the Jersey Court on Saturday for the registration of a limited liability company, the Chief Magistrate said that, in view of the present condition of affairs in England, the Court would in future decline to register companies unless the solicitor engaged in the case was prepared to state definitely that it was purely a Jersey company, with Jersey aims and objects. The application was withdrawn to allow the solicitors to look into the matter.

HEAVY TARIFFS FOR COLOMBIA.

A New York telegram of yesterday states that rigorous protective measures form the latest addition to the economic programme of President Herrera, who on Thursday last was vested with extraordinary powers to prevent the loss of the country's gold reserves and to protect the peso, says the Associated Press correspondent at Bogota. The tariff on imported foodstuffs has been doubled, while clothing and sporting goods are also to be heavily taxed. Motor cars costing more than £250 sterling, liquors, and many "luxury articles" have been totally prohibited. All these measures take effect from to-day.

U.S. OIL PRODUCTION.

Production of crude oil in the United States in the week ended 19th September averaged 2,201,600 barrels daily, according to the estimate of the American Petroleum Institute. This compares with an average of 1,919,000 barrels per day in the previous week.

MORE AMERICAN BANKS CLOSE.

The Northern Central Trust Company, which has five branches in Philadelphia and deposits exceeding 3,000,000 dollars, closed its doors yesterday morning. The Niles Trust Company, of Niles (Ohio), which has deposits of 2,400,000 dollars, is also closed; and at Glassboro' (New Jersey) the Glassboro' Title Trust Company failed to open yesterday.

ROAN ANTELOPE COPPER MINES.

An official quotation for the company's shares on the Johannesburg Stock Exchange has been granted, and facilities are now available for shareholders to transfer their shares from the London register to a Dominion register in Johannesburg, or *vice versa*, upon application to the company's transfer offices.

THIS WEEK'S ANNOUNCEMENTS.

From the point of view of company announcements the present week promises to be of exceptional interest. The list is expected to include the following, although in one or two cases intimation may not be made for another week or two:—Imperial Chemical interim decision. Babcock and Wilcox interim declaration. United Molasses half-year report, Swedish Match interim decision. P. and O. Steamship dividend. Linggi Rubber interim statement. Of outstanding importance will be the decision of the Imperial Chemical Industries, as it is the largest of British Industrial companies, and has many thousands of shareholders. The announcement will be made next Thursday.

SWEDISH TRADE.

Hambro's Bank, in their market report from Sweden, state:—"Timber: 'Svensk Travarutidning' says that the situation on the timber market remains very depressed, both as regards turnover and prices. Importers are maintaining their cautious purchasing policy, and, although prices for most dimensions have now reached the 1913 level, and even less buyers hesitate to cover requirements which undoubtedly exist. Swedish sales up to 15th September amounted to about 450,000 standards. Wood Pulp Market: Even though sales of sulphite during the last fortnight in September have been slightly larger than in the preceding fortnight, there is still a lack of interest in the market. Buyers are only purchasing for the immediate future, and this has involved but small or medium-sized lots. The British market for strong sulphite for shipment this year has been particularly dull. Paper Market: 'Svensk Papperstirning' says that it has been pointed out on several occasions that the growing demand for some kinds of paper prevailing in the latter part of the summer was largely due to the Norwegian conflict. Lately, when there were prospects of a settlement of the dispute, there has been a slight slowing down in demand, although not, perhaps, for sulphite paper for England, partly owing to the fact that this kind of paper is not manufactured in Norway, and partly because people probably fear, even now, that there may, perhaps, be a labour conflict in Sweden in the new year; buyers, therefore, wish to cover their requirements in good time. Nevertheless, the market position cannot be said to have improved. As for the situation of the different kinds of paper, some minor sales of newsprint have been made for delivery in 1932; prices are weak. There is nothing much to add to previous comments on the situation in the fine paper and board markets, the level of prices still being weak."

EFFECT OF CASH DEALINGS.

Much discussion was heard of the probable effect upon Stock Exchange business as a whole of the order regarding cash dealings. It is assumed that purely speculative transactions are ruled out altogether. This may not prove to be the case; for it is recalled that when the Stock Exchange last conducted business under the conditions that now rule it was found necessary to allow a period of five days for the payment for and delivery of stock. An order received from Scotland, for example, could not be completed, and the stock paid for for some days, and gradually what may be termed the period of grace was extended not necessarily by order of the Committee, and in actual fact there was a considerable amount of purely speculative business. For some time trading will be on a comparatively small scale as a result of dealings for cash, and some members assert that such business is not sufficient to support the Stock Exchange. While Government securities appreciated yesterday, many others were easier, though not substantially so, while Foreign Bonds, with coupons payable in dollars, were marked down. Despite the restriction enforced as from Saturday last, the "House" presents a much more animated appearance that it did a fortnight ago, and operators view the outlook much more hopefully.

LONDON STREET MARKET.

As the result of the Stock Exchange Committee's recent "cash-dealing" decision, business in the street has practically ceased.

NORTH AMERICAN COMPANY'S STOCK.

Advices from New York state that the present weakness in the price of the North American Common Stock has been largely due to bear operations. Mr. Frank L. Dame, President of the North American company, in referring to the renewed circulation of rumours regarding the change in the dividend policy of the company, said that these rumours are entirely unfounded and were circulated for the sole purpose of depressing the market price of the stock, and coincided with the removal on the New York Stock Exchange of the ban on short selling. Mr. Dame added that no change in the dividend was contemplated, and the record of the company over the past eight years, during which dividends were paid at the present rate of 10 per cent. per annum in stock, has demonstrated the wisdom of this practice, and is ample justification for its continuance.

THE MONEY MARKET

LOANS COMFORTABLE.

In spite of the absence of Treasury bill maturities yesterday, money was in fairly comfortable supply. There was only a moderate demand for loans, which, after being 5 per cent. in the morning, were obtainable at 4½ per cent. towards the close. Old money was renewed at 4½ to 5 per cent.

Rates kept firm in the discount market, with 5¾ per cent. quoted for December bills and 5¾-13/16 per cent. for Januaries. The "hot" Treasuries were changing hands around 5⅝ per cent.

Bank Rate Discount (changed Sept. 20, 1931) 6%

60 days (fine)	5⅝	5¾%			
3 months	5¾	5⅞%	Trade	6	6½%
4 "	5⅞	6 %	"	6½	6¾%
6 "	6	6¼%		6¾	7 %

Loans to Brokers Day-to-day 4½%

" for a week .... 5 %

Deposit Allowance: Banks at Call .... 4 %

" " Discount Houses at Call .... 4 %

" " " " at Notice 4¼%

Silver was a steadier market, bars being unchanged at 16⅜d. per oz. for spot and 16 5/16d. for forward delivery. Gold remained at 108s. 1d. per oz. fine.

The Bank of England yesterday announced the purchase of £327 in bar gold.

Yesterday's gold arrival from the Cape amounted to £826,000 in bar gold and £250,000 in sovereigns. It will be available in the open market to-day, but may not, of course, be sold. Next week's arrival will be £484,000 in bar gold and a further £250,000 sovereigns, while the latest boat to leave Capetown, the Carnarvon Castle, which is due at Southampton on October 12, carries £1,153,007 in refined gold.

Although at the commencement of dealings in the Foreign Exchange market yesterday sterling received a slight set-back in terms of the principal gold currencies, a recovery set in which left closing rates mostly higher on balance. After reaching 3.92½ the New York rate closed 1c. lower than Saturday's finish at 3.83½, but the Canadian rate was again unchanged at 4.25. All of the leading Continental currencies moved favourably to the £. The franc rate rose by 1c. to 98, and Italian lire were 7 lire cheaper at 80. The Dutch rate finished higher at 9⅞, while the peseta was finally quoted at 42¾, compared with 42¼. Reichsmarks cheapened by ¼mk. to 16, and the Belgian rate was ¾bg. higher on balance at 27¾. In the Scandinavian section Norwegian and Swedish kroner were both cheaper, following the announcement that both countries have decided to abandon the gold standard. The Swedish rate finished at 17, against 14¾ at the previous close, and that of Norway 18, against 17. The Copenhagen exchange finished ½kr. higher at 17¾. Among the South American currencies Argentine dollars further cheapened by 1¼d. to 34d., but the milreis appreciated by ¼d. to 3¾d.

Centre	September 28 Closing Rates		September 26 Closing Rates		Par Exch
New York	3.82	3.85	3.83	3.86	4.86
Montreal	4.20	4.[illegible]0	4.20	4.30	4.86
Amsterdam	9½	9¾	9⅜	9⅝	12.10
Berlin	15¾	16¼	15½	16	20.43
Brussels	27½	28	27	27½	35.0
Copenhagen	17½	18	17	17½	18.159
Madrid	42½	43	42	42½	25.22
Milan	79	81	72½	73½	92.46
Oslo	17¾	18¼	18.16¾	18.17¼	18.159
Paris	97½	98½	96½	97½	124.21
Stockholm	16¾	17¼	14½	15	18.159
Zurich	19¼	19¾	19¼	19¾	25.221
Alexandria	97 7/16	97 9/16	97 7/16	97 9/16	97.5
Athens	300	320	280	310 nom	375
Helsingfors	165	185		—	193.23
Lisbon	109½	110½	109½	110½	110
Prague	125	135	125	135	164.25
Vienna	28	31	25	30 nom.	34.58½
Warsaw	32	38	30	40 nom.	43.38
B. Ayres	33¾	34¼	35	35½	47.577
Lima 90 dys	14.40 nom.		14.40 nom.		17.166
Mexico*	11.73		11.73		9.76
M'video*	25½	24½	23¾	23⅞	51d
Rio de Jan*	3½	4	3⅜	3⅝	5.899d
Valparaiso	32		31.50		40
Calcutta	17¾	17 15/16	17¾	17 15/16	1s 6d
Hongkong	—		—		—
Kobe	29½	30½	32	33	24.58
Shanghai					—
Singapore*	27⅝	27 13/16	27 11/16	27 13/16	28d

* Rate quoted on London.

BANK OF IRELAND.

DUBLIN BANKS' CLEARING RETURN.

		Last year.	− Dec.
	£	£	£
Week ended 26th Sept.	3,832,700	4,117,400	−284,700
39 weeks to date	185,839,700	185,958,400	−118,700

GAUMONT-BRITISH PICTURE CORPORATION LIMITED.

SUCCESS OF HIGH-GRADE BRITISH FILMS.

The fourth annual general meeting of this Corporation was held yesterday at Film House, 142-150 Wardour street, London, W. In the course of his speech, Mr. Mark Ostrer (chairman and joint managing director) referred to the progress made in building large and modern new theatres and rebuilding existing theatres in areas where modern supers were required, and said that the theatres generally had been well maintained and supervised through internal departments. Well-equipped, up-to-date cafés and café restaurants were attached to a large number of them. The theatre position of the Corporation was to-day a predominant one, and it was the determination of the directors to preserve that position. With the experience of the largest cinema interest in the country behind them, they knew the British film to be so soundly established that the renting houses of the Corporation had actually changed over from a product mainly American to one substantially British with complete success. Only those concerns which had modern studios and experienced technical staff could profit by this revival in British films, so that it must be gratifying to shareholders to know how complete were the Board's preparations to deal with this great enterprise. Within the last year their studio at Shepherd's Bush had been enlarged to three times its original size. It was now one of the largest studios in Europe, and its equipment was the finest and most modern. Their renting houses had contracts with a number of producing companies of the first rank, and it was, therefore, no exaggeration to say that the Corporation was a dominant factor in British film production, being at the same time the biggest distributor in the country of first-grade British films. Their studio at Shepherd's Bush and a large number of their cinemas were equipped with the apparatus manufactured by British Acoustic Films, Ltd., which provided results at least as good as any foreign apparatus, and in this way they had been able not only to make great savings in equipping their theatres and studios, but to preserve for British industry expenditure of some considerable magnitude.

As to the prospects of the Corporation in the immediate future, receipts generally had not been so consistent as in former years, due, no doubt, to persistent depression in the industrial world, and it was too early, perhaps, to predict the ultimate effect of the additional tax imposed upon entertainments, but, after making allowance for adverse influences so far as it was possible to do so, the directors were of opinion that the profits for the current year would prove quite satisfactory. He welcomed the opportunity of expressing the Board's appreciation of the very fine work performed by the key members of the staff and the general staff.

The report, which recommended a dividend of 6 per cent. on the Ordinary shares, was unanimously adopted, and a cordial vote of thanks was passed to the Chairman.

DUBLIN BUSINESS DONE.

FUNDS IRREGULAR. GUINNESS HIGHER. INDUSTRIALS IMPROVING.

In Funds, National Loan rose ¾ at 99¼, after 99½, and ditto Deed eased ⅜ at 99⅜. Second Loan put on ½ at 102½, and Third ditto dropped 3 at 91. Land Bonds were ⅛ lower at 89⅞. Consols shed 1½ at 53, 5 per cent. War Loan ¾ at 94, after 93¾, the Deed Stock 1⅛ at 93¾, Land Stock (1903) 6⅝ at 52⅞, Conversion Loan 6⅜ at 70½, and Dublin Corporation 5 per cent. Inscribed unchanged at 100.

National Bank lost 6d. at 47s. 3d.

Guinness rose 1s. 6d. at 90s. 6d., after 90s. 9d., 90s. 6d., 90s. 3d., 90s., 90s. 3d., 90s. 6d., 90s. 9d., and 91s.

Cables "A" were marked 12½ bid and 14½ asked, the "B" 9 bid and 10 asked, and the Pref. 44 bid and 45½ asked.

In Rails, Great Northern Debs. repeated 50. Great Southern Guaranteed unaltered at 36, and the Debs. were ¾ down at 50.

Dublin Tramways Pref. unchanged at 135s.

Alliance Gas lost 1/16 at 10⅝.

Johnston, Mooney Ord. gained 2s. 6d. at 75s.

Among Industrials, Bleachers at 12s. and Coats at 47s. were unchanged. Courtaulds hardened 1s. 10½d. at 36s. 4½d., after 36s. 6d., 36s. 3d., and 36s., and Sewing Cottons 7s. 9d. at 33s 9d. Fine Spinners were 1s. 1½d. lower at 17s. 1½d. "Bats" strengthened 4s. at 81s. 6d., after 81s. 3d., and "Imps" 1s. at 77s., after 78s. Dunlops dropped 4s. at 15s. 3d., after 15s. 7½d. Chemicals put on 1s. 6d. at 15s. 3d., after 15s. 3d. and 15s. 1½d., and the Defs. unchanged at 3s. 9d. Lever 7 per cent. Pref. was 9d. higher at 21s., and the 8 per cent. Pref. eased 1s. 4½d. at 20s. 4½d. Unilever was 2s. 6d. stronger at 30s. 6d., and Unilever N.V. shed 3s. 3d. at 31s. 9d. Vickers repeated 9s., and Shells fell 1s. 9d. at 42s. 6d.

Helys Pref. were unchanged at 21s. *Independent* Pref. put on 6d. at 21s. 6d., and *Irish Times* 6½ per cent. Pref. put on 6d. at 14s.

"Other business done" will be found at foot of annexed table.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS.

Nat. Loan...(99) 99½ *¾

Do. Deed.....(100) 99⅜

Second Ln..(101¾) 102½

Third Loan......(94) 91

Land Bonds ...(90) 89⅞

Consols ....(54½) 53

5% War Loan (94¾) 93¾ *4

Do. Deed .....(94⅞) 93¾

Conver. 5% Loan ...94 11/16

Conver. Loan.(76⅞) 70½

Land Stk. '03.(59½) 52⅞

Dublin 5% Inscr. (100c) 100

Nat. Bank...(47/9) 47/3

Guinness ......(89/-) 90/9 *90/6 90/3 *90/- *90/3 *90/6 *90/9 91/- 90/6

Cables A (12½) 12½b 14½a

Do. B......(6⅞) 9b 10a

Do. Pref.(45) 44b 45½a

G.S. Guar.........(36) 36

Do. Deb.........(50¾) 50

G.N. Deb.........(50) 50

Dublin Tram Pref. (135/-) 135/-

Alliance Gas..(10 23/32) 10⅝

Johnston Mooney (72/6) 75/-

Bleachers ....(12/-) 12/-

B.A.T. (77/6) 81/3 *1/3 *1/6

Coats ....(47/-) 47/-

Courtaulds...(34/6) 36/6 *6/3 *6/- *6/4½

Dunlops (19/3) 15/7½ *15/3

Sew. Cotton..(26/-) 33/9

Cotton Spin.(18/3) 17/1½

Hely's Pref...(21/-) 21/-

Chemicals (13/9) 15/3 *15/1½ *15/3

Do. Def.......(3/9) 3/9

Imperial Tobacco (76/-) 78/- *7/-

Independent Pref. (21/-) 21/6

Irish Times 6½% Pref. (13/6) 14/-

Lever 7% Pref. (20/3) 21/-

Do. 8% Pf.(21/9) 20/4½

Unilever .....(28/-) 30/6

Do. N.V.....(35/-) 31/9

Vickers ....(9/-) 9/-

Shells ....(44/3) 42/6

British Celanese ... 5/4½

General Electric ... 45/-

Inter. Nickel $12½

Leyland Motors ... 35/3

Triumph 6/7½

Woolworth New 6% Pf (£1) 18/9

* Odd lot, a asked, b bid, c cash.

(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

Irish Banks' Rate (Sept. 28, 1931)	6½%
Loans on Government Stocks transferred	6 %
Deposits under £500	3 %
Deposits of £500 and under £2,000	3½%
Deposits of £2,000 and over	4 %

The rates in the foregoing table are subject to variation.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Contango	Oct. 5	Oct. 19
Ticket	Oct. 6	Oct. 20
Intermediate	Oct. 7	Oct. 21
Account day	Oct. 8	Oct. 22

BELFAST.

Belfast Exchange moderately active, and prices still lower. Consols were down at 53¼. Conversion 3½ per cent. Loan 70⅜. Conversion 5 per cent. loan 94⅝, Local Loans 60, and Guaranteed Bonds were marked 90. War "Fives" changed hands at 93⅞, 93¾. Northern Bank A shares were done at 92s. 6d., Midlands at 6⅜, and Westminster Partly-paid at 52s. Westminster Fully-paid were recorded at 47s. 6d. for business on Saturday. Among Industrials, Dunvilles fetched 7½. British-American Tobaccos 82s., and a small lot done Saturday was recorded at 80s. British-American Tobacco 6 per cent. Pref. 21s. 4½d., Imperial Tobaccos 77s. 6d. White, Tomkins and Courage Ord. were marked 25s. 4½d. for business on Saturday.

CORK.

Cash and Co. Pref. buyers 14s., Cork Gas buyers, John Daly Ord. buyers 56s., Gresham Hotels buyers 8, Gouldings Ord. buyers 70s., Imperial Hotel Ord. buyers 22s. 6d., Pref. buyers 60s.; T. Lyons and Co. £4 paid and £5 paid sellers.

The Birtley Iron Company, Ltd., announced yesterday that they have secured a contract from Russia for a patent coal cleaning plant, which is to go to Donetz Basin, Russia. The order will give employment to hundreds of workmen during the next few months, and the plant will be the first of its kind ever installed in Russia.

NY MEETING.

NT - BRITISH E CORPORA- LIMITED.

F HIGH-GRADE SH FILMS.

al general meeting of this held yesterday at Film ardour street, London, W. his speech, Mr. Mark and joint managing to the progress made in modern new theatres and theatres in areas where re required, and said that ally had been well main. rvised through internal Vell-equipped, up-to-date taurants were attached to them. The theatre posi- ration was to-day a pre- it was the determination o preserve that position. ce of the largest cinema untry behind them, they film to be so soundly he renting houses of the ctually changed over from American to one sub- with complete success. rns which had modern enced technical staff could al in British films, so that fying to shareholders to te were the Board's pre- with this great enterprise. year their studio at ad been enlarged to three size. It was now one of in Europe, and its equip- t and most modern. Their contracts with a number panies of the first rank, efore, no exaggeration to poration was a dominant film production, being at biggest distributor in the ade British films. Their rd's Bush and a large nemas were equipped with anufactured by British d., which provided results as any foreign apparatus, ey had been able not only vings in equipping their ios, but to preserve for xpenditure of some con- e.

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USINESS DONE.

REGULAR. GUINNESS STRIALS IMPROVING.

onal Loan rose ⅜ at 99⅞, tto Deed eased ⅛ at 99⅝. on ½ at 102¼, and Third 91. Land Bonds were ⅛ nsols shed 1½ at 53, 5 per at 94, after 93⅞, the Deed Land Stock (1903) 6⅞ at oan 6⅞ at 70½, and Dublin cent. Inscribed unchanged

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als, Bleachers at 12s. and e unchanged. Courtaulds at 36s. 4½d., after 36s. 6d., and Sewing Cottons 7s. 9d. pinners were 1s. 1½d. lower Bats" strengthened 4s. at 3d., and "Imps" 1s. at Dunlops dropped 4s. at 15s. Chemicals put on 1s. 6d. 15s. 3d. and 15s. 1½d., and ed at 3s. 9d. Lever 7 per d. higher at 21s., and the eased 1s. 4½d. at 20s. 4½d. d. stronger at 30s. 6d., and shed 3s. 3d. at 31s. 9d. s., and Shells fell 1s. 9d. at

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s done" will be found at table.

L QUOTATIONS.

*½ Coats ....(47/-) 47/-
99⅝ Courtaulds...(34/6) 36/6
02¼ *6/3 *6/- *6/4½
91 Dunlops (19/3)
89⅞ 15/7½ *15/3
53 Sew. Cotton..(26/-) 33/9
Cotton Spin.(18/3) 17/1½
*4 Hely's Pref...(21/-) 21/-
93⅞ Chemicals (13/9)
94⅞ 15/3 *15/1½ *15/3
70½ Do. Def.......(3/9) 3/9
52⅞ Imperial Tobacco
(76/-) 78/- *7/-
100 Independent Pref.
7/3 (21/-) 21/6
90/9 Irish Times 6½% Pref.
90/3 (13/6) 14/-
0/6 Lever 7% Pref.
(20/3) 21/-
4½a Do. 8% Pf.(21/9) 20/4½
10a Unilever .....(28/-) 30/6
5½a Do. N.V.....(35/-) 31/9
36 Vickers ....(9/-) 9/-
50 Shells ....(44/3) 42/6
50
British Celanese ...5/4½
35/- General Electric 46/-
10⅞ Inter. Nickel *12½
Leyland Motors 35/3
75/- Triumph 6/7½
12/- Woolworth New 6% Pf.
(£1) 18/9
*1/6
a asked, b bid, c cash.
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BANKS' RATE.

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THE AMERICAN MARKETS.

LIST UNDER PRESSURE.

WEAK CLOSE.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

NEW YORK, Monday.

The suspension of the gold standard by Sweden, Norway and Egypt failed to surprise Wall street, but, with the possibility of similar action being taken by other countries, speculative sentiment became at least temporarily disturbed, while it was expected that nervousness would develop.

The tendency at the opening was easy. Steadiness which developed later in Rails, several rising fractionally, favourably affected the market, and prices firmed up after sagging 1 to 3 points. With neither Sweden nor Norway having important financial relationship with the United States, the market became quite calm. Nevertheless Chemical issues and several specialities displayed heaviness. Ss. Kresge, Goodyear Tire, Proctor and Gamble, Coca-Cola and New York New Haven failing 2 to 5 points. With professional activities checked by the rigid control of short selling, trading turned dull.

Constructive news is still lacking, while several small bank failures were announced to-day. However, prices rallied moderately in the early afternoon, although the gains were not well maintained. Weak spots appeared in Foreign Bonds and among the foreign exchanges, but most of the leaders were well supported.

Copper and Rail shares developed notable firmness, several of these stocks and some prominent Industrials advancing 1 to 3 points. The better tone in coppers was attributed partly to reports of better foreign buying of the commodity, as the erratic fluctuations in currencies apparently prompted a desire on the part of some capitalists to place some of their funds in commodities. Prices declined again in the late trading, and the market closed weak.

American Telephone and Telegraph, Houston Oil, Atchison Topeka, International Business Machine, Union Carbide, Goodyear Tire, Western Union Telegraph, Norfolk and Western, and Eastman Kodak lost anything from 2 to 4 points, and Auburn Auto dropped 7; but American Tobacco "B" and Royal Dutch both gained a point.

Government Bonds were steady. Railroad Bonds were easy. The day's sales approximated 1,500,000 shares. Money on call closed steady at 1½ per cent. bid and 1¾ per cent. asked. All loans were transacted at 1½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper was quoted at 2¾ per cent. Sterling exchange opened at 3.90 nominal, and closed at 3.86. Silver was ⅛c. lower at 28⅜.

	Mon.	Sat.
Call Money	1½b. 1¾a	Nominal.
Exchange on Lon.—60 days' sight	—	—
Do. Do. Demand Bills	3.84½	3.81
Cable Transfers	3.86	3.82
Do. Montreal	4.21¾	4.15
Exchange Paris cable	3.94	3.94¼

Fair Parity	Stocks	Closing Bid Mon.	Sat.
143⅞	Atchison, Topeka, Santa Fe ...	111	113
125⅞	Do. Preferred	97¼	97
44⅛	Baltimore and Ohio	34	34½
20⅝	Canadian Pacific (New Stock)	15¾	15⅝
37⅝	Chesapeake and Ohio Com.	28¾	28½
4	Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul	3¼	3¼
21⅛	Chicago and North West	16⅝	16½
[illegible]	Erie Shares	13½	13½
20⅞	Erie 1st Preferred	16⅛	17¼
37⅞	Illinois Central	29⅛	29½
56⅞	Louisville and Nashville	45	45
17⅞	Missouri Pacific	13¾	14½
80⅞	New York Central & Hudson R.	62	62½
169⅛	Norfolk and West Com.	131	132½
34⅛	Northern Pacific Com.	26¾	26¾
42	Pennsylvania Shares	32½	33
70⅞	Reading Shares	54½	55
73	Southern Pacific	56½	57½
24⅞	Southern Railway	19	20
130⅞	Union Pacific	116½	117
100¼	American Can. (New Stock)	77½	78½
33⅞	American Smelting (New Stock)	26	26
21⅞	Anaconda Copper	18⅝	18¼
39	Bethlehem Steel Com Stock	30⅛	31½
92⅞	Consolidated Gas (New York)	71⅞	72½
39⅞	General Electric (New Stock)	30¼	30⅞
34⅞	General Motors (New)	26⅝	27⅝
5⅞	Inter. Mer. Marine Com Certs...	4½	4½
11¼	International Nickel	8⅞	9⅛
114⅞	National Lead	88½	88
32⅞	Pan-American Petroleum "B"	25	25
18⅞	Radio Corporation	14½	14¼
25⅞	Royal Dutch Petroleum	19½	18¼
7¾	Shell Transport and Trading	6	6
5⅞	Shell Union Oil	4½	4
9⅞	U.S. Rubber	7⅞	8
97⅞	United States Steel Common	75½	77
164	Do. Preferred	127¼	125½
11⅞	Brazilian Traction	9¼	9¼
19⅞	Brit.-American Tobacco Coupon	13½	15
11⅞	Hydro Electric	10½	10½
10⅞	International Pet., Canada New	8½	8¾
—	Silver Commercial Bars	28⅝	28¾
	BONDS.		
122¼	U.K. 5½% Bonds 1937	91½	95¼
—	Do. Funding Loan 4%	—	—
—	Do. War Loan 5%	—	—
131⅞	U.S. Treasury 3½% Bds. 1946-56	103	103 9/16
71¾	7% German External Loan	55½	60½

SUPPLEMENTARY NEW YORK PRICES.

SPECIAL CABLEGRAM.

Parity	Stocks	Mon.	Sat.
	Air Reduction	64½	67
	Allied Chemical	84½	88
	American Super Power	6¼	6⅝
	American Tel. and Tel	135¾	138
	American Tobacco "B"	91¼	90¼
	American Waterworks	30¾	31
	Brazil Stan. 6½ p.c., 1927	21	21
	Case Threshing	43½	41⅞
	Chrysler Corp	13	13⅛
	Columbia Graphophones	4½	4½
	Commercial Solvents	11⅝	11⅝
	Drug Incorp.	57	58½
	Du Pont	64½	68
	Eastman Kodak	104	108⅛
	Electric Bond and Share	20⅛	21⅜
	Electric Power and Light	23⅞	24
	Fox Film	9	9
	Gillette Safety Razor	12⅝	12¼
	Goodyear Tyre	26⅝	29⅜
	International Harvester	27½	27⅝
	International Tel and Tel.	16⅞	17¼
	Johns-Manville	38⅝	40½
	Kennecott Copper	13½	13⅝
	Kreuger and Toll	.6⅞	7¼
	Liggett and Myers "B"	52½	53¼
	Lambert Co	55	56
	McKeesport Tin	49⅛	51
	Mexican Seaboard Oil	8⅛	9
	Montgomery Ward	12	12¼
	National Biscuit	41	42¾
	National Cash Register	19⅞	20⅞
	National Dairy Products	24	24½
	National Power and Light	16¼	16⅝
	North America Company	42	43
	Paramount Publix	13½	14½
	Public Service of New Jersey	61	61½
	Radio Corp. of America	14⅛	14⅜
	Radio Keith Orpheum	9	9¾
	Reynolds Tobacco "B"	40	40¼
	Royal Dutch	20	18½
	Sears Roebuck	40⅛	42
	Standard Gas and Electric	39½	
	Standard Oil of N.J.	31¼	31⅜
	Union Carbide	34½	35¾
	United Corp	14⅝	14¾
	United Gas Improvement	22¾	23
	Vanadium Corp	17⅝	18⅝
	Warner Bros. Pictures	7	7
	Westinghouse Electric	46¼	47⅝
	Woolworth	53¾	53¾

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS.

WHEAT barely steady, ⅝c. to ⅞c. lower.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 2 Amber Durum, spot	54½	55⅛
No. 2 Mixed Durum, spot	—	—
No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot	64⅛	64¾
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	61½	62⅛
No. 2 Red Winter, spot	60¾	61⅝

RYE steady, ¼c. higher. No. 2 spot, 40½.

BARLEY inactive.

MAIZE easier, ½c. lower.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Western No. 2 mixed spot	52	52½

LARD steady at 5 points advance. Prime Western steam, 7.55; Middle West, 7.40 to 7.50.

FLOUR steady. Spring clears (100 per cent.), 4.00 to 4.40.

FREIGHTS.

Heavy grain to Great Britain, per qr., 1/6 to 2/3. Heavy grain to Continent, per 100lb., 8c. to 8½c. Cotton—High density to Great Britain, per 100lb. 45c.; standard bales, 60c.

PETROLEUM steady.

	To-day	Prev. day
Mid-Continent Crude	33-33.9	33-33.9
Baume at Well	56 cents	56 cents
Pennsylvania Crude	1.60-1.95	1.60-1.95

COFFEE—

Closing Options—

	Sept.	Oct.	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	1932 May	July
To-day	—	4.30	4.38	4.48	4.60	4.72	4.83
	Sept., 1932—4.92						
Prev. day	—	4.58	4.68	4.78	4.86	4.98	5.07
	Sept., 1932—5.17						

SUGAR—The close was steady, with quotations unchanged to 3 points down. Spot finished easier and 3 points lower. 96 centrifugal Cuban local spot, 3.40. Approximate day's sales, 9,000 tons.

Closing Options—

	Sept.	Oct.	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	1932 May	July
To-day	—	—	1.33	1.30	1.30	1.35	1.39
	Sept., 1932—1.45						
Prev. day	—	1.32	1.33	1.31	1.33	1.37	1.42
	Sept., 1932—1.47						

TALLOW steady. Spot extra loose, 2¾; spot special extra, 2½; spot in tierces, 3⅛.

COTTONSEED OIL—Futures barely steady at 11 to 3 points fall. Prime summer yellow spot, 3.75. Closing options—Oct., 4.09; Dec., 4.30; Jan., 4.35; March, 4.40.

SHELLAC—T.N., 15½.

TURPENTINE—Spot, 36¼; Savannah spot, 31¼.

METALS—Straits Tin easy. Spot and nearby New York, 22.37½. Future option—October, 22.50. Lead steady. Spot New York, 4.40; Spot East St. Louis, 4.22½. Pig Iron steady. Northern No. 2 Plain f.o.b. furnace Eastern Pennsylvania, 17.89. Copper—The U.S. Copper Export Association quotes copper c.i.f. Hamburg—September-October-November, 7.50; December, 7.55.

COTTON (New York)—Spot quiet at 10 points fall. Spot middling, 6.10. Cotton (New Orleans)—Spot finished 11 points cheaper. Spot middling, 5.76.

NATIONAL METAL EXCHANGE.

TIN quiet. Closing options—November, 22.35; January, 22.80; March, 23.25.

COPPER quiet. Standard new contract. Closing options—November, 5.45; January, 5.55; March, 5.65.

WINNIPEG GRAINS.

WHEAT opened steady at ¼c. to ⅜c. gain, but values were depressed by increased hedge pressure, advices of favourable weather, limited export interest and increased offerings. The market also moved in sympathy with Chicago, while commission houses were buying May and selling October to avoid deliveries. The close was barely steady at ½c. to ¼c. loss. Opening options—October, 54½; December, 55½; May, 59¼. Closing options—October, 53¾; December, 54¾; May, 58⅞. Rye steady, ⅜c. down to unchanged. Closing options—October, 33½; December, 34⅝; May, 38¼. Oats steady, unchanged to ⅛c. lower. Closing options—October, 28⅛; December, 28⅜; May, 30¾. Barley steady, ⅛c. up. Closing options—October, 31⅝; December, 32⅝; May, 35⅝. Flaxseed steady at ¼c. to ⅛c. rise. Closing options—October, 96¼; December, 98¼; May, 103.

Wheat receipts (carlots)	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 1 Northern	177	118
No. 2 Northern	120	97
No. 3 Northern	17	12
No. 4 Northern	3	3
Other grades	94	86
Total	411	316

RUBBER quiet. First latex thin crepe spot, 5 5/16 buyers; smoked ribbed sheets spot 4 11/16 buyers, 4¾ sellers.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Monday.

The disturbed condition of foreign exchanges tended to restrict outside interest, with the markets unsettled, and trading very light and within narrow limits. Wheat declined under commission house selling due to local pressure, a lack of support, and some selling against purchases at Winnipeg. The Department of Agriculture estimates the crop in the Northern Hemisphere, exclusive of Russia and China, at 3,178,000,000 bushels. Liquidation of the September option was a further adverse factor. Maize values were depressed owing to the favourable weather for field work, together with the easier tendency in wheat, increased country offerings and local selling. Rye moved in sympathy with wheat, while oats declined in unison with maize.

WHEAT opened steady, unchanged to ¼c. lower, and closed barely steady at ¾c. to 1½c. loss.

	To-day.	Prev. day
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	49½	49⅞
No. 3 Hard Winter, spot	48¾	48¾

Futures—Opening options—	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.	May
To-day	48⅛	49¼	51	52½
Prev. day	48⅛	49	51⅝	52¾
Futures—Closing options—	**Sept.**	**Dec.**	**Mar.**	**May**
To-day	47½	48	50⅝	52¼
Prev. day	48⅛	48½	51⅛	52¾

CORN commenced steady, ¼c. up to ⅜c. down, and finished barely steady, ⅜c. to ⅞c. cheaper. Spot No. 2 mixed Western unquoted.

Futures—Opening options—	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.	May
To-day	38¾	36½	38⅛	40¼
Prev. day	39	37⅝	—	41⅛
Futures—Closing options—	**Sept.**	**Dec.**	**Mar.**	**May**
To-day	38	36¼	38	40
Prev. day	38½	36⅞	38¾	40½

OATS closed barely steady, ¾c. to ⅜c. fall.

Futures—Closing options	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.	May
To-day	21	22⅝	—	25¼
Prev. day	21¾	23	24¾	25⅝

RYE closed barely steady, ¼c. up to ½c. down.

Futures—Closing options	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.	May
To-day	37½	38⅛	—	40⅞
Prev. day	37¾	38⅝	40¾	41⅛

PROVISIONS—Lard at the opening ruled barely steady, but values improved under the influence of local buying. The close was steady, with futures 10 points higher to 5 points lower. Spot closed 2½ points up. Prime Western steam spot, 6.80.

LARD—Closing options—	Sept.	Oct.	Dec.	Jan.
To-day	6.77½	6.70	5.75	5.70
Prev. day	6.75	6.60	5.80	5.70

BACON steady and unchanged. Short ribs sides (60lb. average), 7.62½.

HOGS steady, with light kinds 10 to 5 points higher and heavy sorts 10 points dearer. Light-weight, 5.10 to 5.40 and heavy-weight 4.85 to 5.50.

	To-day.	Same day last year
Receipts—Chicago	36,000	47,000
" Western	110,000	104,000

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—52, ½, ¾, ¼, 4, 3, 1½, 2⅞, 5/16, 1¾, 3¼, ¾. 5 p.c. War Loan—94, ¼, 3½, ¾, ⅞, ⅝, 3, ¼, ⅛, *4½, 3 7/16, 11/16. Funding Loan (x.d.)—80, 79, ½, ¼, ⅝, 8⅞, 80⅛, ½, *82, 80⅜, ¾. Conversion Loan 3½ p.c.—70, ¾, ¼, ½, 1, 69¾, ⅞, ½, ⅝, 9, 70⅛, ⅜, ⅝; ditto 4½ p.c.—90, ½, ¼, 89¾, ⅞, ¼, ½, ⅝, 90⅛, ¾, 3/16; ditto 5 p.c. (x.d.)—95, 4, ½, ⅝, ¾, *½, 3¾, 4⅞, *6⅝, *⅜, 4¼, 5½, ⅛. 4 p.c. Consols—80, ¾, ½, ¼, 1, 79½, 80⅝, ⅜, 1½, ¼, 80⅞, 79¾. 4½ p.c. Treasury Bonds—95, 3⅞, 4, ⅞, 1/16, ½, ¾. Free State Land Bonds 85, 6, 9½, ⅞, 90. Australia 5 p.c. Stock—60, 2, 58. Aerated Bread—19/-, 3d., 9d. African and Eastern—3/6¾, 4/-. Allied Newspapers Ord.—11/3, *3d. Anglo-Dutch Rubber—13/-, 11¼d., 6d., 14/-. Associated Cement—24/-, 1½d., 3d., *3/6, 9d., 4/6, 3/10½. Associated Newspapers Def.—11/-, 3d., 9d., 10/6. Bovril Def.—33/6. Brazilian Traction—13, ¼, ⅜, 1/16, ⅛, ⅞, 3/16, 12⅞, ¾, 13⅝, ⅞. British American Tobacco—83/1½, 2/6, 1/6, 10½d., 3d., 80/7½, 3/9, *1/-, 2/2¼, 80/11¼. British Celanese—*4/10½, 5/3, 1½d., 6d., 4/10½. British Match Ord.—23/-. Buenos Ayres Great Southern—38, 5, 7, 9, 6½, 6. Cables and Wireless "A"—14, 12¾, 13, ½; ditto "B"—9⅝, ½, 10, ½, ¼; ditto 5½ p.c. Pref.—44½, ¾, 5. Calico Printers—10/-, 6d., 9/6¾, 4½d. Canadian Pacific—23, 21¾, ½, 2¼, ⅜, ½, 1⅞, 2⅝, *⅞. Central Argentine Cons.—37, 8, 7½, 9, 40. Coats—47/3, 6d., 8/-, 9/4½, 7/9, 8/9, 6d., 1½d., *7/9. Courtaulds—36/3, 10½d., 7/2¼, 6d., 5/11¼, 8/1½, 5/-, 3¾d., 7/-, 1½d., *5/-½, 6/-, 4½d., 6d. Crystalate Gramophone—2/-, 1½d. Cunard Ord.—10/-, 9/9, 6d., 3d. "Daily Mail" Trust—30/-, 29/-, 10½d. "Daily Mirror" Ord.—9/-, 3d., 6d., 4½d., 10/-, 8/9. Dunlop Ord.—15/-, 1½d., 6d., 7½d., *16/-, 15/4½, 9d. Dunlop "C" Pref.—12/-. Dunlop 6 p.c. Debs.—100½, 1. Dunlop Plantations—*13/9. Electric and Musical Ord.—23/1½, 9d., 5¼d., 2/6. Ford Motors—39/-, 8/9, 40/-. Gallaher Pref.—19/-, 4½d. General Electric—46/-, 6d., 7½d., 7/-, 9d., 3d., 6/3. General Electric Debs. (x.d.)—96. Great Western Rail—43½, 4½, 5, 4⅜, ¼, ⅝, ⅞, ¾, 5¼. Great Western 5 p.c. Pref.—*66, 6, 5½. Greek 7 p.c. Refugee—85, 6½, 3. Guinness Ord.—92/-, 3d., 6d., 3/-, 4/-, 1/3, 3/7½, 90/6, 90/-. Harland and Wolff Pref.—2/6. Harrods Ord.—50/-, 48/9, 9/-, 51/3, 49/4½. Hudson's Bay Ord—26/3, 7/6, 3/1½, 5/-. Hungarian 7½ p.c., 1924—48, ½, 5, 7½. Imperial Chemical Ordinary—15/-, 3d., 1½d., 4½d., 14/9, 10½d., 15/6; Imperial Chemical Def.—3/10½, 9d., 4/-, 1½d. Imperial Tobacco—78/-, 9d., 1½d., 7/6, *6d., 2¼d., 4½d., 8/5¼. International Holdings—1, ⅛, 3/16, 1/16, ¼. International Nickel (dols.)—12, ¼, 11⅞, ¾, 12⅛, 3/16. Lever 7 p.c. Pref.—21/3, 4½d., 6d., 20/9, *4½d., 1/-. Lister Ord.—12/-, 11/6, 3d. London, Midland and Scottish Ord.—16¾, 17½, 18⅜, ¼, 17¾, ⅝, ⅞, 18½, 1/16. London and N.E. Pref.-Ord.—10, 11, ⅛, *10, ⅞, 9/16, ¼, ¾, 11⅜, ⅝; do. Def.-Ord.—*4, ⅝, ½, ⅜, ¾. Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.—98/9, 7/6, 5/7½, 9/4½, 100/-, 95/-, 6/3, *8/9. Malayalam Rubber—8/-, 3d., 7/6, 9d., 7½d. Marconi Marine—30/3, 2/-, 2¼d. Maypole Def.—4/-, 1½d., 3d., 5¼d. Metropolitan Rail—36. Peruvian Corp. Pref.—10. Phillips (Godfrey) Ord.—13/-, 12/10½. Prov. Cinema Theatres—13/3. Roan Antelope—8/9, 7/7½, 9¾d., 6d., 7/-, 8/-. Rubber Trust—14/1½, 3d., 6d. Southern Rail Pref.-Ord.—39, 8, ¾, 7¼, 8⅛; do. Def.-Ord.—*10, ½, 11¼, 9¾. Sudan Plantations—*22/6, 9d., 4/4½, 3/9, 3d., 6d., 4/9, 2/9, 1/10½, 2/6. "Sunday Pictorial" Ord.—22/6. Swedish Match "B"—6⅞, ¼, ¾, 6, ½, 7/16, ⅜, 5 15/16, 6⅛. Tobacco Securities Ord.—48/9, *5/-; do. Def.—58/9, *2/6. Underground Income Bonds—90. United Dairies—34/-, 3d., 7½d., 9d., 3/6, 4/6. Unilever Ord.—30/9, *3¾d., 1/-, 3d., 30/7½, 29/8¼, 4½d.; do. N.V.—33/1½, 5¼d., 9d., 30/-, 1/10½, 2/6, 1/7½, 3d., 2/4½. United of Havana Rail—7. United Molasses—9/-, 1½d., 8/7½, 10½d., 9d., 6d. United Serdang Rubber—1/6. United Tobacco (x.d.)—80/-. Vickers—9/-, 1½d., 8/10½, 9d., 11¼d. Watney, Combe Def.—38/-, 6d., 9d., 9/-, 8/3, 7/-. Westminster Bank—51/-, 9d., 3d., 50/-, 6d., 2/-, 1/10½, 50/3. Woolworth Ord.—39/9, 4½d., 40/9, 11¼d., 1/-, 40/-, 7½d.; do. Pref.—18/6, 9d., 7½d., 3d., 4½d.

(* Exceptional bargain at special price.)

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

CORN EXCHANGE BUILDINGS—6 per cent. (60/- per share) for year ended 31st August. (Same.)

WALLACE BROS.—3/- per share on Ord. shares (privately held).

WATSON, JOSHUA AND CO.—10 per cent. (8/- per share) on Ord. for year ended August 31. £2,490 forward (Same.)

ANCHOR LINE PASS PREFERENCE DIVIDEND—The directors of Anchor Line (Henderson Brothers), Limited, announce that the company will pass the dividend on its Pref. shares, which in the ordinary way is due for payment on October 31. The capital of the company is £600,000 in Ord. shares and £325,000 of 5½ per cent. Cumulative Pref. shares. (This leaves the Pref. dividend twelve months in arrear.)

BRITISH MOSS LITTER—It is announced that a dividend of 12 per cent. on the 6 per cent. Cumulative Pref. of the British Moss Litter Co., Ltd., for two years to December 31, 1928, will be paid on October 1. It is also announced that the reconstruction, as outlined in the directors' report, is not being proceeded with. The proposed scheme provided for repayment of 5/- a share in cash to Pref. shareholders, additional 5/- a share being written off Pref. shares, reducing them to 10/- a share, cancellation of arrears of cumulative dividends on Pref. shares as at December 31, 1930, and Ord. shares being reduced to 5/- a share.

BROOKS WHARF AND BULL WHARF.—Dividend on Ord. Shares of 5 per cent. (same); forward £11,348.

FLEMING AND FERGUSON.—Final dividend of 7 per cent. actual, making 10 per cent., less tax, for year (same).

INDUSTRIAL BANK OF JAPAN.—Gross earnings for the half-year to June 30, 1931, of the Industrial Bank of Japan, Ltd., amounted to 17,710,435 yen, an increase of over 2,000,000 yen on the previous half-year, and a rise of nearly 3,000,000 yen on the figures of the corresponding period of 1930. The dividend is maintained at 3 per cent. for the period, and a further 500,000 yen is placed to reserves, leaving an increase in the forward balance of 1,197,642 yen.

MANCHESTER LINERS.—Profit, including income from investments, £49,909, against £65,574. Ord. dividend of 10 per cent., less tax (same); forward £41,245.

MAYNARDS.—Final dividend of 10 per cent. on Ord. Shares, making 12½ per cent. for year (same).

W. SHEPHERD AND SONS.—No. Pref. dividend for year ending September 30.

An outbreak of fire, which originated from an oil stove, occurred yesterday evening at the residence of Mr. Webster, Holles street, Dublin. A section of the Dublin Fire Brigade under the direction of Captain Connolly extinguished the flames. The damage done was slight.

The Irish Railways.

PROSPECTS OF THE SHAREHOLDERS.

(BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

PUBLIC confidence in the capacity of business enterprise to earn profits and pay dividends is generally reflected in the Stock Exchange prices of the Ordinary shares or stock of the company.

Measured by this standard, the confidence of investors in the Free State in the ability of the Free State railway directors to earn dividends on the Ordinary and Preference Stocks of the two chief Free State railways has, indeed, fallen very low. In 1925 one hundred pounds' worth of Great Southern Ordinary Stock stood at £38, and Great Northern at £58. To-day either of these stocks can be purchased for £11. This alarming decline in value is undoubtedly the result of the enormous decline in railway revenue which has been in operation since 1924, and still continues. Recently published statistics show that, for the first thirty-six weeks of the current year, the gross receipts (excluding road transport receipts) of the two big railways in this country have dropped by £276,000 as compared with the corresponding period of 1930. When apportioned, this decline is equivalent to a dividend of three *per cent.* on Great Southern Ordinary Stock and of one *per cent.* on Great Northern Ordinary Stock. Last year the latter concern had to withdraw £40,000 from its compensation fund in order to pay the Ordinary dividend of one and a half *per cent.* The fund now stands in the balance sheet at £48,000. The Great Southern Railways, by dint of considerable economies and charging some of its expenditure against capital, found itself in the fortunate position of being able to pay one *per cent.* dividend on its Ordinary Stock without having to disturb its compensation fund of £241,000.

This year, unless extraordinary economies in management and working are effected, it will not be possible for the companies to pay any Ordinary dividend. Economies, sufficient to cover the decline in traffic receipts, are, it is thought, impracticable, so that it looks as if substantial withdrawals from the compensation funds will be inevitable if the Ordinary stockholders are to receive any income. Lately I interviewed a prominent city accountant, whom I knew to be deeply interested in railway finances and management, and he made the following statement to me: "From an investor's point of view, the prospects may appear very gloomy and disappointing, but they are not entirely hopeless. I think I know something about the mind of the experts who are working out a solution on behalf of the companies, and, so far as I can see, the economies which will ultimately be effected and the steps to protect railway capital from dwindling further which the Government has in contemplation will alleviate, to some extent, the present misfortunes and burdens of the railways. Many sacrifices, however, will have to be made. There will be numerous dismissals of railway employés, who will, as far as possible, be provided with alternative employment on road motor services. Goods trains will be run by day instead of by night. Stations will be closed down, as well as many sections of lines that are at present uneconomic in working. Passenger trains will be provided with ticket-checkers, who will accompany the trains to their destination, and thus the necessity for station masters and porters at the smaller stations will be obviated. Road transport will," he continued, "be controlled and co-ordinated as far as possible with rail transport, but there will be no interference with the vested interests in road motor haulage undertakings, which have grown up and developed in recent years. Restrictions will, however, have to be placed on undertakings of the kind contemplated in the future. The result of these measures will not be to increase railway revenue, as that is well-nigh impossible under modern conditions of transport, but to protect the present earning capacity of the railways. Government experts are, I know, convinced that no improvement in passenger receipts can be expected, and their conclusion is based upon the increasing number of private motor cars and other means of transport, as well as upon the following statistics, which have been presented to them for consideration:—

NUMBER OF PASSENGERS AND AMOUNT OF PASSENGER RECEIPTS.

	1925.	1926.	1927.	1928.	1929.	1930
Great Southern Railways:						
Passengers	12,645,792	12,585,652	11,321,690	10,415,254	10,843,114	9,168,572
Receipts	£1,497,000	£1,433,058	£1,298,000	£1,147,000	£1,070,000	£996,000
Great Northern Railway:						
Passengers	6,196,349	5,679,468	5,713,273	5,834,000	6,102,400	5,795,404
Receipts	£700,000	£607,000	£560,000	£515,000	£504,000	£472,000

"It will be seen," he added, "that, as compared with 1925, the total decline in receipts and in the number of passengers for 1930 amounted to £729,000 and 3,878,165, respectively. The decline has been so steady and so continuous that one cannot be far wrong in assuming that the big drop in railway revenue this year will be attributable almost entirely to a further decline in passenger traffic. Goods traffic has been well maintained on both railway systems over the past five years, and, in the case of the Great Southern Railways, a slight increase in receipts under this heading is not at all improbable this year on account of an increase in rates which came into operation during 1930. The following particulars indicate a tendency on the part of both the value and the quantity of goods traffic to become stabilised.

MERCHANDISE AND HEAVY GOODS.

	1925.	1926.	1927.	1928	1929.	1930.
Great Southern Railways:						
Tons	2,297,410	2,213,879	2,595,410	2,597,050	2,571,932	2,501,046
Receipts	£2,274,000	£2,246,000	£2,426,000	£2,460,000	£2,403,000	£2,305,000
Great Northern Railway:						
Tons	1,218,654	1,052,091	1,210,989	1,159,385	1,213,669	1,111,486
Receipts	£920,000	£831,000	£883,000	£835,000	£839,000	£790,000

The average price per ton received for the carriage of heavy goods by the Great Northern Railway in 1930 was 12s. 4d., or 1s. 1d. lower than in 1925, whilst, in the case of the Great Southern Railways, the average price per ton was 14s. 5d. in 1930, as compared with 15s. 9d. in 1925.

"It would look, therefore," he remarked, "as if the Great Southern charges are still too high. Even if one takes passenger fares, it will be found that the average fare on the Great Southern Railways compares unfavourably with that of the Great Northern Railway."

AVERAGE PASSENGER FARES.

	1925.	1926.	1927.	1928.	1929.	1930.
Great Southern Railways	2/3	2/2	2/2	2/1	1/10	2/-
Great Northern Railway	2/1	1/11	1/9	1/7	1/6	1/6

"Numerous complaints have been heard recently that the railways have not been receiving their fair share of the live stock traffic of the country, and that they are being unjustly robbed of it by road motor haulage enterprises. Here are tables from which readers will be able to judge how far this statement is correct."

GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAYS.
(Originating on Company's System.)

Year.	Horses.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total No. carried by Company.
1930	10,526	876,030	164,704	626,513	650,669	2,341,543
Average for 5 years ended 1929	12,720	783,028	178,006	706,587	770,638	2,465,099

GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY.
(Originating on Company's System.)

Year.	Horses.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total No. carried by Company.
1930	7,367	263,017	29,031	176,803	23,211	608,028
Average for 5 years ended 1929	7,647	240,315	25,478	179,068	23,255	591,680

"What is your solution of the railroad problem from the investors' or stockholders' point of view?" I inquired. "My solution," he said—"and, I think, it is not unlikely to be the Government's solution, too—is, having regard to the apparent impossibility of increasing revenue, to take steps to cut down the heavy charges which current revenue has to meet. Further economies must be effected along the lines which I have already indicated, and, in addition, efforts must be made to reduce the Debenture and Loan Stocks of the companies. Debenture Stocks to-day stand at only half their nominal value, and it would be a wise move for the companies to buy them up. In fact, I would not be at all surprised if the Government's Transport Bill deals with this aspect of the problem, and compels the companies to devote their reserves to this purpose. According to the 1930 balance sheets, the Great Southern Railways possessed the following (amongst other) assets:—

Cash at bankers and in hand £97,744
Cash on deposit £320,000
Government investments £536,288
Other investments £89,170

and the Great Northern the following:—

Cash at bankers £11,543
Government securities £1,019,156

"In times of prosperity the companies should have been reducing their Debentures and loans instead of creating reserve funds. The service of the Debenture and loan interest requires over £350,000 a year in the case of the Great Southern Railways and £130,000 in the case of the Great Northern. The reserve funds can only redeem a small portion of the Debentures, and it will be for the Government to consider whether it should not place, by means of a loan or otherwise, sufficient money at the disposal of the railways to wipe out all, or the major portion of, the Debenture and Guaranteed Stocks outstanding. If the State were to do this, then the existing Board of Directors would have to be abolished, and be replaced by Government transport and financial experts, whose duty it would be to manage and control railway finances so as to safeguard the State's capital.

£100,000 Dock Scheme.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

LIMERICK, Monday.

A whole House Committee of the Limerick Harbour Board to-day considered a letter from the local agent of the Bank of Ireland, in regard to the Board's application for the issuing of a loan of £100,000 five per cent. Debenture stock in connection with the financing of the dock development schemes. The view expressed in the letter was that the present was an inopportune time to issue the stock.

The Board directed the secretary to communicate with the Governors of the Bank of Ireland to have the stock issued without delay, in accordance with the agreement reached between the Board and the bank some time ago.

Military for Tralee.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

TRALEE, Monday.

Some seventy men of the Free State Army arrived in Tralee by motor lorries on Saturday night, and took up their quarters in the disused military barracks at Ballymullen. It is stated that this draft will be supplemented later, and that a permanent force of 300 men will be located at the Ballymullen Barracks in the near future.

Local traders welcome the coming of the military.

SIR O. DE GLANVILLE.

IRISHMAN DELEGATE TO BURMA CONFERENCE.

The Governor of Burma has issued, on behalf of His Majesty's Government, twenty invitations to attend the Burma Round Table Conference. It is possible that one or two more may be added as a result of correspondence now in progress. The chairman and delegates from British political parties and officials attending on behalf of the Government of India and the Government of Burma will be announced later.

Among those invited is Sir Oscar James Lardner de Glanville, C.I.E., O.B.E., who was born in 1867 in Dublin, the son of the Rev. H. de Glanville, B.A. (Trinity College, Dublin), chaplain and naval instructor, R.N.

Sir Oscar was educated at Portsmouth Grammar School, and is a barrister-at-law of the Middle Temple. He was Western Sub-Divisional Magistrate of Rangoon from 1917-19; Administrator-General, Official Trustee and Assignee of Burma for the next three years, and a member of the Burma Legislative Council (European Constituency) from 1923. From 1927 to 1929 he was the President of the Legislative Council.

With U. Aung Thin, Sir O. de Glanville will represent the Independent Party, the party from which the present Ministers in Burma are drawn.

YEAR'S TRUCE IN ARMAMENTS.

AGREED RESOLUTION FOR LEAGUE ASSEMBLY.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

GENEVA, Monday.

Unanimous agreement as to the terms of the resolution for an armaments truce for one year, dating from November 1st next, was reached by the third Committee of the League Assembly this evening.

The draft resolution embodying this agreement, which will be submitted to the Assembly to-morrow, is as follows:—

Convinced that the crisis which at the present time is creating such profound disturbance among the nations of the world is due to a number of economic and political causes, originating principally in the lack of mutual confidence between the nations, and convinced that a renewal in the competition in armaments would necessarily lead to an international and social catastrophe, the Assembly addresses a solemn appeal to all those who are desirous that practical effect should be given to the principles of peace and justice upon which the Covenant is based, and urges them to devote all their efforts towards creating a world opinion strong enough to enable the General Disarmament Conference to achieve positive results, including in particular a gradual reduction of armaments, to be continued until such time as the object laid down in Article 8 of the Covenant is attained.

PROOF OF DESIRES.

In view of the fact that an undertaking on the part of all States not to increase their armaments would help to create an atmosphere of confidence, to prevent competition in armaments, and to prepare the ground for the success of the forthcoming conference, the Assembly requests the Governments invited to the Disarmament Conference to prepare for this event by means of an armaments truce, and, accordingly, requests the Council to urge the Governments convened to the said conference to give proof of their earnest desire for the successful issue of the efforts to ensure an organised peace, and, without prejudicing the decisions of the conference or the programmes or proposals submitted by each Government, to refrain from any measure involving an increase in their armaments.

The Assembly likewise requests the Council to ask the Governments to state before November 1st, 1931, whether they are prepared for a period of one year as from that date to accept this truce in armaments.

Thousands of ladies keep a box of Martin's Pills in the house. Those who use them recommend them; hence their enormous sale. Price 5s. Sold by all Chemists and Stores; or post free from proprietors, Martin, Chemist, Southampton. —(Advt.)

PRISON DIET CHANGED.

WASTE AND EXCESS ELIMINATED.

ALL PRISONERS GIVEN SAME TREATMENT.

BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

WITH a view to eliminating waste, I was officially informed yesterday, the Free State Department of Justice has revised the diet of prison inmates. The revision includes the substitution of margarine for butter, except in the case of prisoners who are patients in the prison hospital.

The official reason given for the change is that the diet was found on review to be wasteful and excessive.

It is denied, however, that the milk ration has been stopped, or that the change in diet is intended as a special penalty for "political" prisoners.

"There is no question in Free State prisons of discrimination against prisoners for either their social or political standing," I was told, "and the prison authorities are not concerned with the offences which inmates have committed. Their obligation is merely to see that the sentence imposed by the court—a certain period of hard labour or of simple imprisonment, as the case might be—is carried out."

With regard to solitary confinement, it was stated that no such penalty obtained in the Free State, and that, so far as was known, the system had been abolished in England many years ago. There was a system of confinement to cells, but when this acted injuriously on health the prisoner was removed from his cell.

No prisoners in the Free State are undergoing that punishment at present. Certain prisoners in Mountjoy, however, are refusing to take exercise, and I was told, with regard to these, that the Department does not feel called upon to do anything.

TRANSVAAL BAR GOLD.

HOW PRICE IS AFFECTED.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

JOHANNESBURG, Monday.

The Chairman of the Chamber of Mines, speaking at a meeting to-day, said: "The decision of Great Britain to depart from the gold standard, which was announced with dramatic suddenness a week ago, has raised questions and problems that have since been preoccupying every section of the community. There is no one at the moment—not even, I suggest, amongst those who had thrust upon them the responsibility for taking this drastic step—who can measure all the consequences, favourable and unfavourable, of so radical a departure from traditional financial policy.

In our view the decision announced last Tuesday by the Government, that the Union would remain on the gold standard was, in the circumstances of the times, a wise and necessary decision. My colleagues on the Gold Producers' Committee, and I, firmly entertain the view that gold will at least maintain its position in the monetary sphere, and that it will continue to be the foundation and the mainstay of the sound and stable economic structure of South Africa. We have concluded provisional arrangements, subject to short notice with the Reserve Bank, under which we shall continue to sell our bar gold on the same terms, except for some minor modifications, as before. As things stand at present the departure from the gold standard by Great Britain will not have any direct effect upon the gold mining industry. There may be some indirect consequences that it is impossible at the moment to estimate.

AMERICAN BANK FAILURES.

SIXTEEN HOUSES CLOSED.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Monday.

There has been a fresh fit of bank-closing in various parts of the country to-day. Sixteen small banks, including branches, are not opening. Their aggregate deposits amount to close upon twenty million dollars.

Note.—During the first half of 1931 778 banks, with total deposits of 478,000,000 dollars, closed their doors. In 1930, 1,345 banks, with deposits of 865,000,000 dollars, closed. There are still nearly 24,000 separate banks in the United States of America, and these epidemics of failure in bad times are largely attributed to the way in which the banking operations of the country are, to a great extent, distributed among a number of small concerns.

SHOOTING IN SEVILLE.

COMMUNISTS FRUSTRATED BY CIVIL GUARDS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

MADRID, Monday.

Attempts by Communists to gain footholds in Syndicalist Seville resulted in a riot this morning, in which one man was killed and several injured.

The trouble started at the entrance to a factory, when Communists attempted to prevent a group of Syndicalists from entering. Shots were exchanged, and two men were injured.

With the arrival of the police the rioters dispersed, two of them taking refuge in a tavern. Two Civil Guards pursued them, and one of the fugitives, firing from behind a table, wounded a Civil Guard, whose comrade shot down the man.

TRADE BAROMETERS.

Sir Josiah Stamp, a director of the Bank of England, contributed to a discussion on the utility of trade barometers in the Industrial Co-partnership Section of the British Association yesterday.

He said that it might very well be that they had data for forecasting if only they knew better how to interpret it. The fact that the forecast failed in the past should not daunt them.

"To suggest that you can have a forecast which will be a fool-proof indication of what a business man should do is asking for the moon: in fact, it would be a very dangerous thing to give him. We want the instinct to get a better knowledge and understanding of business."

THE CHURCH OF IRELAND.

A Mission to Youth will be held on the Friday evenings of November in St. Andrew's Church, Dublin. Lessons in singing the Psalms, Canticles, and hymns will be given before the Services begin. Special subjects for prayer will be arranged for every evening, and a series of addresses on the Church's doctrine will be given.

The foundation stone of the new Church of St. Finnian, Creagh, has been laid by the Primate.

The Archbishop of Dublin preached on Sunday last in Westminster Abbey. He is proceeding to Spain to fulfil engagements in connection with the Reformed Churches of Spain and Portugal.

The Bishop of Tuam, who has not been in good health, has been ordered complete rest by his medical adviser.

The Rev. H. H. Madden, formerly incumbent of Ballymackey, has been licensed to the light-duty parish of Glenealy, Co. Wicklow.

The Joint Diocesan Synod of Dublin, Glendalough and Kildare, will meet on October 22nd and 23rd in the Synod Hall, Dublin.

The Rev. A. V. Smyth will be instituted to the Union of Bourny and Dunkerrin to-morrow.

The National School in Crossmolina, under Church management, which was closed in 1922 through lack of numbers, has been re-opened.

A G.N.R. omnibus out on a trial run last night was involved in a smash at Killester. The driver, and sole occupant, James McSherry, 54 Rathmines road, escaped with slight injury. In order to avoid collision with another vehicle, McSherry crashed head-on into a wall. The 'bus was considerably damaged.

SINO-JAPANESE NEGOTIATIONS.

TROOPS LEAVING MANCHURIA.

MURDEROUS ATTACK ON FOREIGN MINISTER.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

GENEVA, Monday.

THE Council of the League will remain in session a few days longer in order to endeavour to bring about a settlement of the Manchurian problem. This decision was prompted by the demand which Mr. Sze, the Chinese delegate, made to-day that the Council should assist in the settlement of the dispute between the two countries.

Mr. Sze said that in a spirit of conciliation he had abandoned the request for the despatch of a commission of inquiry composed of neutrals to Manchuria, and made this other suggestion as a compromise.

LEAGUE AS UMPIRE.

Mr. Yoshizawa, the Japanese representative, replied that he would telegraph the Chinese suggestion to his Government. He agreed to a meeting of Chinese and Japanese representatives in Manchuria to settle the difficulty, but said he could not accept the proposal to add other nations to that Committee. All he could do was to communicate the proposal for direct negotiations.

Mr. Yoshizawa added:—"We have no intention of making war on China. We only want a prompt and satisfactory settlement of the difficulty."

Lord Cecil clinched matters by declaring that direct negotiations should commence without delay, and should they encounter difficulties the question could again be referred to the Council.

The Chinese delegation received news this afternoon from Harbin that the situation is improving, and that the Japanese troops are withdrawing.

Before closing the sitting, the President announced that he would make a statement on the position to the Assembly to-morrow.

The proceedings opened to-day, with many expressions of sympathy for Mr. Wang, the Chinese Foreign Minister, who was the victim of an attack, described below. Mr. Yoshizawa, the Japanese representative, associated himself with the expressions of sympathy, and said that Doctor Wang was a personal friend of his, for whom he had great admiration.

FOREIGN OFFICE MOBBED.

STUDENTS ANGERED BY SITUATION.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

NANKING, Monday.

Closely guarded by picked soldiers, with "shoot-to-kill" orders should anyone attempt to force an entry, Mr. C. T. Wang, the Chinese Foreign Minister, who was severely injured by a mob of students in his own office this morning, is now lying in his home with three ugly wounds in his chest and many cuts and bruises on his body and legs.

There is now no immediate fear for his life, which at one moment was thought to be in danger.

The students burst into his office and attacked him with clubs, inkpots and broken glass. Following a demonstration in pouring rain, the students marched to the Foreign Office to vent their fury at what they regarded as failure to "persuade the League to continue to support China."

They smashed all furniture, doors and windows, and would have murdered Mr. Wang had not his office staff got in and fought for possession of his body. His clothes had been torn off, and his head and upper part of his body were covered with blood.

He had been urged to escape, but replied that he would remain at his post and attend to duty even if he had to die there. His staff eventually carried him through a window, and rushed him off in a car.

Most of the rioters were students from Shanghai. A further body of two thousand is *en route*, and instructions have been issued that their train be stopped before reaching Nanking, so that they can be searched by troops.

Known abroad as "China's fighting diplomat," Mr. Wang, who is 49, has played a prominent part in recent years in the stormy politics of his country.

INDEPENDENCE FOR MANCHURIA?

AUTONOMY MOVEMENT RUMOUR.

An Exchange message from Tokyo states that the Japanese military have been ordered to maintain neutrality in regard to a reported movement from Mukden for the formation of an autonomous state of Manchuria, independent of Nanking, and ousting Marshal Chang Hsueh-Liang, the Governor.

COAL DISPUTE IN THE RUHR.

EMERGENCY DECREE ISSUED.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

COLOGNE, Monday.

Drastic steps have been taken to effect an immediate settlement of the wages and working time dispute in the Ruhr coal industry.

President Hindenburg has issued an emergency decree empowering the Labour Minister to abrogate the existing arbitration regulations and to set up a special court with arbitrary powers.

Miners' meetings held all over the Ruhr coalfield yesterday instructed their leaders to resist the 12 per cent. wage cut demanded by the owners and to stand out for a shorter shift. They did not, however, decide in favour of a strike action.

Twenty thousand Communists from all parts of the Ruhr poured into Essen during the day and demonstrated in the squares.

GERMAN BOURSES TO REMAIN CLOSED.

MANY BANKS TOTTERING.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BERLIN, Monday.

The gravity of the German economic crisis may be gauged by the fact that the German Bourses, which have already been closed for a week, are not to be re-opened for the present. The Reichsbank, the Reich Government and the Prussian Government will have to be consulted by the Bourse Committee before dealings can be resumed.

There is a movement on foot to cut short the "Bourseless period." On the other hand, the abandonment of the gold standard by many countries may result in large amounts of German securities and shares in the hands of foreigners being thrust on German markets. Foreign currencies would be consequently withdrawn in considerable amounts.

A premature opening of the Bourse, moreover, would, it has transpired, bring ruin upon over a dozen leading private banking houses in Berlin and the provinces, which, at present, are making strenuous efforts to obtain financial support.

IF SCIENCE SOLVES THE PROBLEM.

PETROL AT NINEPENCE A GALLON.

The possibility of producing petrol by the hydrogenation of coal at a cost of 9d. a gallon—though "not at present likely"—was mentioned by Mr. H. T. Tizard, Rector of the Imperial College, South Kensington, in an address to the Chemistry Section of the British Association on the British fuel problem.

"I should regard with scepticism any lower estimate," he added. The general technical development of this process had now passed to powerful chemical groups in Germany and Great Britain, he said, and it was well known that Imperial Chemical Industries had been experimenting on a large scale for some time.

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IRISH LADIES' GOLF TITLE.

CHAMPION'S NARROW ESCAPE.

ULSTER PLAYERS DOING WELL.

Miss Dorothy Pim retained her position as favourite for the Irish Ladies' Golf Championship, which is being played for at Rosses Point, County Sligo, and, if anything, strengthened it by the one-sided nature of her victory against Miss Netta Morrissey yesterday. It is true that the vanquished player has a long club handicap, but the quality of Miss Pim's golf was excellent, and the margin was 7 and 5.

Northern ladies are going strong. Mrs. Clarke, who reached the semi-final round at Cork, put out a former winner in Miss Patricia Jameson, after the latter had looked like gaining an easy victory, while the Misses Peggy and Betty Gardiner are also in, having received walks over, as did Miss Daisy Ferguson.

Mrs. Clarke's recovery was one of the finest things of the day, for she was three down going to the fifth, the same number behind at the eighth, and yet got home on the last green by two up.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

The champion, Mrs. Walker, had a narrow escape in her match with Miss Blake, although she won it by 3 and 2. Had Miss Blake taken all the chances that came her way on the outward half she must have held a good lead at the turn, instead of which the match was all flat.

Mrs. Walker played poor golf for the first four holes, and had Miss Blake been on terms with her putter she must have won three of them; as a matter of fact, Miss Blake's poor short game alone put her out of the championship, but she would have had to play very sound golf on the second nine to hold her rival, who took the lead at the thirteenth, and won the next two to become dormy three.

YOUNG ULSTER SCHOOL.

Young Miss Ellis, of Royal County Down, a daughter of Major Ellis, created a very favourable impression by the quality of her golf in the match with Mrs. Duncan, whom she beat 6 and 5, and another of the young Ulster school, Miss Reade, a daughter of the late Harold Reade, of Royal Fortrush, brought Mrs. Madill, with all her championship experience, to the seventeenth green, her excellent work with her mashie being the strong feature of her game.

Former champions in Mrs. Harry Hall and Mrs. Cuthill won their matches by big margins, but the round was rather featureless, albeit Mrs. Todd's 8 and 7 win over Mrs. Solomons was quite unexpected—that is, in its extent. Mrs. Solomons, however, was putting badly, but for which she would have brought the Kilkenny and Rosslare lady a good deal further.

ATTEMPTED MURDER CHARGE.

SEQUEL TO SHOOTING OF POLICE CONSTABLE.

Yaroslaw Charles, aged 27, described as a kitchen porter, of Marchmont street, London, W.C., and Leonard William Short, aged 27, described as a labourer, of Warwick street, Pimlico, were charged at Kingston Police Court, London, yesterday with "being concerned together in attempting to murder Sidney Patenden, a constable of the Metropolitan Police Force, by shooting him with an automatic pistol."

They were also charged with breaking into two sports clubs' pavilions at Thames Ditton and stealing quantities of goods.

Short was also charged, with Sidney Harold Lethey (24), of Warwick street, Pimlico, with breaking and entering the Home Farm Lawn Tennis Club pavilion.

After evidence of arrest had been given, the three men were remanded until next Tuesday, on the application of Superintendent Cornish, of Scotland Yard.

"PSYCHIC PHOTOGRAPHERS."

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

JOHANNESBURG, Monday.

Two brothers named Falconer, hailing from Scotland, have been fined £150 each, on charges of fraud in connection with a "psychic photography" business which they were alleged to have carried on.

Detectives, posing as persons interested in spiritualism, went to the brothers' headquarters and asked for sittings. No photographs, however, resulted from the first sittings. Later the police raided the local Spiritualist Hall and seized all the materials used by the photographers.

After an examination of the apparatus the brothers Falconer were arrested.

WASTEFUL KITCHEN RANGES.

In the course of an address to the Chemistry Section of the British Association, in London yesterday, Sir David Milne-Watson said that some forty million tons of coal were estimated to be consumed annually for domestic purposes. Under the most favourable conditions not more than 25 per cent. of the potential energy of the coal is utilised, whilst the coal-fired kitchen range often secures no more than 5 per cent. of the available energy in the coal.

"Not only do these domestic appliances account for the waste of millions of tons of coal and the chemical products which might be obtained from them, but they are responsible for three quarters, at least, of the smoke nuisance prevalent in the country."

BOY'S FALL FROM BRIDGE.

Passengers crossing from Port Clarence to Middlesbro', across the Tees, by the transporter bridge last night were horrified to see a body fall from the top of the huge structure. The transporter car was hurried across to where the body—that of a boy—was floating in the water, and the conductor of the car lowered a grapple on a rope, hooked it in the boy's clothing, and kept him afloat until a motor-boat took him ashore.

The boy, Eric White, aged 15, of Middlesbro', was taken to the Municipal Hospital, but five minutes after admission, while he was being examined by the house surgeon, he died from his injuries.

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I AM favoured with instructions from Grattan Dunne, Esq., to SELL BY AUCTION, on FRIDAY, 16th OCTOBER, 1931, at the hour of 3 o'clock, on the premises, his Residence, Larch Hill, and Farm attached thereto, containing 59 acres, 1 rood, Statute measure, or thereabouts, subject to an Irish Land Annuity of £41 4s. 2d. Board of Works charge £6 10s. 0d. Poor Law Valuation £53 10s. 0d.

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POULTRY, CAGE BIRDS, DAIRY.

TURKEYS.

Writing on this subject in the *Weekly Irish Times*, the Poultry Correspondent says:—

When we think of turkeys we think of Christmas, and the young birds now should have full freedom so that they will grow into fine birds, later on to be fattened for the festival time. But now they are growing, and their frame expanding, and with the good feeding of the fields and through the stubble, they should be increasing in size. They love roaming through the woods and roosting in the trees, and this will do them good until the time they are taken in for fattening. If, however, the weather is bad, and the field feeding deficient, they must get some hand feeding, as they should not get out of condition. A little meat daily will help them, and a feed of hempseed occasionally in wet weather. Care must be taken with the old stock turkeys, which may now be moulting. Keep them from rain, and during wet weather confine them in sheds where they will get a little sun. Feed generously and let them have a daily allowance of meat.

BEAUTIFUL Peacocks and Pea Hens, 25/-.—Chetwood-Aiken, Woodbrook, Portarlington. 24 B

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COCKERELS—Pedigree Rhodes, Wyandottes, Leghorns (Black, White), Anconas, 10/6, 15/6, 21/-; Leghorn, Ancona Hens, 3/- each; Table Chickens, 1930 Chicks, cheap.—Fairyhill, Blackrock. Telephone, 138. 25 C

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FOR Sale, R.I. Red Cockerels and Pullets and second year Hens, individually bred, good colour and pedigree.—Chearnley, Belleville, Cappoquin. 28 E

HARVEST roasting Chickens, large, 5/6, 6/6 pair; fat Geese, 6/- each, trussed, post paid; reliable.—Miss Harris, Rock House, Rosscarbery, Cork.

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HUNTING Season—Stabling for Horses, Muskerry district.—Corkeran, Blarney, Co. Cork. 25 C

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AUCTION Sale, September 30th, at 2 o'clock—"Yalta," Silchester road, Glenageary; 3 reception, 5 bedrooms, maid's room.—Garvey and Good. 25 B

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AT Kingstown—For Sale, House, nine apartments, garage, garden; good position; £625. At Monkstown—Non-basement House, all modern conveniences; select locality; seven apartments, garage, garden; £1,300.—Martin and Lord, Auctioneers, 53 Upper George's street, Kingstown. 27 D

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DETACHED Residence on 16 acres; 9 rooms, bath, etc.; outoffices (garage, etc.), tennis lawn, garden. Apply Larchhill, Santry. 25 C

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LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE GOODS OF TIMOTHY MULDOON, late of "Allenton," Tallaght, County Dublin, Farmer, Deceased.

All persons having claims against the Estate of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 22nd September, 1931, are hereby required to furnish particulars thereof (in writing) to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors.

Dated this 29th day of September, 1931.

KENNEDY and McGONAGLE, Solicitors for Executors, 34 Upper O'Connell street, Dublin

VILLIERS ST. CLAIR MORTON, formerly VILLIERS ST. CLAIR MORTON JACKSON.

To all whom it may concern, take notice that, by a certain Deed Poll bearing date the 21st day of August, 1931, Enrolled in the Central Office of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann, on the 1st day of September, 1931, executed under my hand and seal, I, the above-named Villiers St. Clair Morton, for myself, my children and remoter issue, did absolutely renounce and abandon the use of my said surname of Jackson, which I have recently used in addition to that of Morton as my last and principal surname, and in lieu thereof did assume, as from the date thereof, the surname of Morton only without such addition as aforesaid as my only surname. And by said Deed Poll I further declared that I should at all times hereafter in all records, deeds and instruments in writing, and in all actions and proceedings and in all dealings and transactions and upon all occasions whatsoever use and sign the said name of Morton as my surname without the addition of the said surname of Jackson. And I thereby authorised and requested all persons to designate and address me by said name of Morton only.

Dated 25th September, 1931.

(Signed), VILLIERS ST. CLAIR MORTON.

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KINGSTOWN—For Sale, modern, three bedrooms, semi-detached, all conveniences. No agents.—K 1164, this office. 8 25

KINGSTOWN—Fine House for Sale, best position Promenade. Particulars, Grosvenor Hotel, Dun Leary. 25 C

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RATHMINES, £1,025, quiet road, basementless, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, large garden.—Arthur Jones, 10 Stephen's Green. 24 B

RATHMINES—Compact House for Sale, on good road in this district; three reception, four bedrooms, maid's room, h. and c., electric light, large garden, good garage; price £1,200 or offer.—Dockrell Limited, Agents, George's street. 26 D

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£1,525—"DONARD," Fortfield road, Upper Rathmines, recently built, detached residence, every modern convenience; lounge hall, four bedrooms, three reception rooms, scullery, pantry, etc.; garage; lease, 500 years; g. rent, £10 per annum; inspection invited; rates remission. Further particulars from Bailey and Sons, Builders and Contractors, Fortfield terrace, Upper Rathmines, Dublin. 8 25

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